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OPEN TO-DAY.

The Doors of Public Library Were Formally Opened This Morning.

AN AMBITIOUS PROGRAM.

To-day marks an epoch in the history of the Bloomsburg Public Library and from early morning until late at night a reception and a mass meeting will add to the interest of the day.

The reception will be held at the Library rooms from nine o'clock this morning until five o'clock this afternoon. The object of the reception is to exhibit the library to its patrons and friends, and all who have in any way contributed or who intend contributing for Library maintenance are invited.

EVENING PROGRAM.

The reception at the Library rooms closes at five o'clock p. m., but at eight o'clock there will be a general mass meeting at the Court House where the following program will be rendered.

Selection, Normal School Orchestra
Transfer of Library management from the Library Department of the Civic Club to the Directors.
Presentation Speech.....Rev. D. N. Kirkby
Response.....Col. J. G. Freeze
Address.....H. A. McKillip
Vocal Solo, Come to me Sweetheart Homer Bartlett
Miss Cope.
Address.....Prof. W. E. Martin
Librarian of Bucknell University
Address.....Rev. Wm. Tinker
Vocal Solo...Good Bye Sweet Day Kate Vannah
Miss Albert.
Address, Thos. Lynch Montgomery
State Librarian, Harrisburg
Selection, Normal School Orchestra

COMMITTEES OF THE DAY.

Following are different committees for the day:

Mrs. Robert Hawley will have entire charge of the Reception at the Library Rooms. Her assistants will be as follows: Margaret Smith, Marie Funk, Mabel Neal, Martha Wilson, Blanche Millard, Martha Creasy, Anna Creasy, Jean Andreas, Jeanette Boggs, Lauere Robbins, Ruth Turner, Mary Demaree, Katharine Worthington, Harriet Carpenter.

Committee to explain the workings of the Library to the guests; Mrs. J. K. Miller, Miss Marie Harter, Mrs. H. Bierman, Miss Lydia Drinker, Mrs. C. A. Caswell, Mrs. C. W. Funston, Miss Lila Sloan, Mrs. M. S. R. Worthington, Elizabeth D. Renninger,.

Miss Claire Whitmoyer will have charge of the Guest-Book.

There will be no library registering on opening day, but each guest will be asked to register in the Guest-Book which will be kept after the Reception in the Local History department of the Library as a souvenir of the Library Opening.

COMMITTEES FOR THE OPENING.

The speakers will be introduced by Col. J. G. Freeze.

The ushers at the Court House will be Max Dillon, Fred Welsh, Charles Albert and Edward Elwell.

J. R. Townsend and Louis Cohen have in charge the Court House arrangements, decorations etc.

MOVEMENT IN BLOOMSBURG.

The Library movement in Bloomsburg had its origin in the agitation started by the Library Department of the the Civic Club, the duties of which department were declared by the by-laws of the club to be "to promote and encourage the interest in a public library; also to devise ways and means of earning money to establish the same." In furtherance of this purpose it was decided to give two entertainments each year.

In January 1903 there stood to the credit of the Library Department $1000—$900 earned by entertainments, etc., and a legacy of $100 left to the Library by Mrs. M. H. McKinney.

Rooms in the Clark building were rented, and on January 12, when the actual work of organizing the Library was commenced, the room contained four book cases and less than 100 books.

SKETCH OF THE LIBRARY.

It was decided to spend $900 of the money in hand for books which should form the nucleus of the Library; also to hold a book-reception, requesting each citizen of

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GIRLS' FRIENDLY.

An Organization whose Objects Are Most Laudable.

A Successful Branch Here.

There is an organization in this town, of which but little is known outside of its own circles, because it has not been heralded through the newspapers, nor been otherwise advertised. And yet this organization has been, and is, doing a great work. We refer to the Girls' Friendly Society, which holds its meetings every Saturday evening in St. Paul's Parish House. It is not an adjunct of the Episcopal Church, though it is under the management of several ladies who are members of that church. It is not the object of the society to make Episcopalians out of its members. Its purpose is to make good girls. There are at present among its members girls whose families are attendants at the Methodist, Lutheran, Reformed, Baptist and Roman Catholic churches, and several of the Hebrew faith. No effort is made to influence any of these, in any way, to attend either the Sunday School or the services of the Episcopal Church, and this is frequently explained to them. The girls are taught to sew, to cook, and to do other useful things, and those who attend the meetings are not among the hundreds of young girls who are upon the streets every Saturday night, at hours far beyond the time when they ought to be at home. If any one will spend an hour on Market street any Saturday night when the weather is pleasant, they will see many girls, ranging in age from twelve to twenty years, who are evidently not under the watchful eye of their parents. Their actions and conversation are often shocking. To keep girls from such surroundings, and to make of them good and useful women is one of the many laudable objects of the Girls' Friendly Society. Social enjoyment is one of the features of their meetings. Unobjectionable games are played, there is usually something good to eat, and an occasional supper of their own cooking, and at intervals they may invite their friends to be present, when a special program is arranged. The society has done a great work in some of the cities, and it is doing a good work here. Proselyting is not one of its aims, and no mother need fear that her daughter will be influenced to join some other church than her own. Girls who can cook, and sew, and entertain, and who do not run the streets at night, ought to be permitted to help other girls who are not so favorably situated. Those girls who are not taught at home to do these useful things, and who are permitted by their parents to do as they please, are the ones who need the beneficent influences of just such a society as this. The Girls' Friendly already has a large membership, and it is bound to become an organization that will be recognized as a power for good in the community. It ought to be aided and encouraged by every woman, irrespective of creed, who has a desire to help the girls to become good and useful women.

This society is not a local one. It exists wherever the English language is spoken. It was first organized in England by a lady who was interested in a home for fallen women, and it occurred to her that if girls could be influenced for good in time to keep them from temptation and ruin, the prevention would be better than a cure, and so she established the Girls' Friendly. While it is not an Episcopal society, one of the requirements is that the managers must be communicants of that church in order to secure a Branch organization. Another rule is that no girl will be admitted who has not always borne a good reputation. Its object, as stated before, is not the reclamation of fallen women, but to prevent them from ever falling.

The Bloomsburg Branch is in charge of Mrs. W. P. Meigs, the Branch secretary, who was the original organizer. The associates are Mrs. D. N. Kirkby, Mrs. J. K. Miller, Mrs. J. E. Roys, Misses Drinker, John, and Martha Clark. Many new members have recently joined.

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MICHAEL CASEY.

Michael Casey was for years a well known resident of Bloomsburg. His genial, cheerful nature, and his honesty and integrity secured for him the esteem and respect of the community. For some years past he has been ailing, owing to the infirmities of old age, and his familiar figure has lately been seen but seldom. His death occurred at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mrs. Thos. Hickey, on Leonard street at eleven o'clock last Saturday morning. The History of Columbia County gives the following brief sketch of Mr. Casey.

"Michael Casey was born April 10, 1815, in the parish of Effin, county Limerick, Ireland, and came to the United States in the spring of 1836, landing in New York. He settled in Catawissa, Columbia county, and finally came to Bloomsburg in 1842. His parents were Patrick and Ellen (Clarey) Casey. Mrs. Michael Casey, his wife, was a daughter of John and Margaret (Griffith) Boise, and was born November 16, 1818, in Berks county Pa., and died July 30, 1878, in Bloomsburg:"

The date of his birth is questioned by the family who have in their possession some evidence that he was born in 1809, which would make him 94 years old instead of 88, but authentic papers have been lost, and Mr. Casey's mental condition has of late been such that he could not remember the date of his birth.

The following children survive: Margaret, wife of Thos. Downs, of Beaver Twp., Ex-sheriff John B. Casey, who died December 31st, 1897; Ellen, wife of Thos. Hickey; Thomas P., Michael J., Joseph A. and William. all of whom live in town. Another son, Edward, died in his early youth.

There are living 34 grandchildren, and 17 great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, at St. Columba's Roman Catholic church, and was largely attended. Every seat in the church was occupied, many non-Catholics being present to show their respect to the memory of a good old man. Requiem High Mass was conducted by Rev. Father Murphy, who also delivered an excellent discourse. He spent no time in fulsome eulogy of the deceased, as is too often the case on such occasions, but he drew lessons appropriate for the time, and eloquently urged all to obey God's commandments, that when their time shall come they may enter into life eternal. He impressed upon his own church members that some of them were not doing as they should do. Said he, "You want to be called Catholics. You expect that when you die you will be brought here, and that all the forms, and ceremonies of the Holy Mother Church will be performed over you, and that her prayers will be offered up for the repose of your souls. And yet in life you are turning your backs upon her. Some of you are never seen within these walls except upon an occasion of this kind." There are other pastors in town who could truthfully say the same of their church members.

The casket was borne by six grandsons: Michael, Arthur, Frank, Henry and Charles Casey, and Edward Downs. The burial took place in the family lot in the Catholic section of Rosemont Cemetery.

"Requiescat in Pace."

OUR8 MARKET.

The cool weather has prevented the market from being largely attended thus far. This morning at half past six there were only four wagons in line. But one man had strawberries and he sold out soon after six o'clock. C. L. Rupert's wagon is always on hand and always reliable. His truck is fresh and prices right. E. C. Bundy is also attending market, though it has been his intention to quit for several years past. These two men have for many years been found at their stands well provided with everything in garden truck.

The strawberry crop is well nigh exhausted. A few cherries were in on Tuesday, red ones selling at ten cents a box, and white ones at two for a quarter. The crop is said to be a slim one this year. Peas are plenty and sell for 25 to 30 cents a half peck. Lettuce, radishes, and onions are 5 cents a bunch, and not many in a bunch.

James Tubbs, a prosperous farmer and veteran of the Civil war died at his home in Cambra on Monday, aged 68 years. He was stricken with apoplexy on Friday and remained unconscious ill death came. A wife and five children survive.

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I, the one fixed fashion
Of the fair."

White Lawn, large and small Polka Dots were 1.75 now 1.25

White Etamine Plaited Back were 2.75 now 2.15

White Lawn All over Embroidery. were 3.75 now 2.75

Mussed Lots were 3.50, 3.00, 2.50. now 1.25.

The Leader Store Co.,
4th and Market Streets,
Bloomsburg, Pa,

ONLY A FIGUREHEAD

Government of Servia Will Be a Military Dictatorship.

ARMY NOW RULES WHOLE COUNTRY

High Official Claims That the Royal Tragedy Was an Act of Mercy and Saved the Servians From Civil War.

BELGRADE, Servia, June 17.—The position of King Peter I. promises to be little more than that of a royal cipher. The real government of the country will be a military dictatorship under the leaders of the revolution, Colonel Maschin and Colonel Mitschitch. The new king is almost without any personal adherents, and the ruling spirits of the army, it is thought probable, would just as readily murder him as they did his predecessor should he oppose their aims.

At the present moment the whole country is under military rule, and, although no prefects in the country districts have been revoked, each is accompanied by an army officer who attends the prefect wherever he goes, even to the telephone. This policy has led to one good result. Not a single case of disorder anywhere has been reported.

Extremely forcible arguments were found necessary to suppress the radical aspirations of a republic. The foremost advocate of the creation of a republican form of government was Ljubomir Schickovics, the editor of the Belgrade Odjek. Finding him impervious to arguments, the conspirators invited him to a dinner at the Officers' club. During the dinner his host told him that unless he agreed to support Prince Peter Karageorgevitch there would be one head less in Belgrade that night. M. Schickovics yielded to the force of this reasoning and accepted the situation. He is now minister of justice in the new government.

The deliberations of the members of the senate and skupshtina on the republican question were materially hastened by the attendance of one of the leaders of the revolution, Colonel Mitschitch. The colonel took no part in the proceedings, but his presence was significant enough to induce the members to accept the army's choice. Premier Avakumovics told the deputies that it was useless to talk of a republic, as neither Russia nor Austria would permit it. He further urged that the proposed new constitution would give King Peter far less power than that enjoyed by the president of the United States.

One of the highest officials of the present government asked a number of foreign journalists what Europe thought of the way in which the Servian revolution was carried out. He was told bluntly that it was considered a brutal act. He thereupon explained that from his point of view the assassination of the king and queen was an act of mercy, as by utterly destroying the dynasty instead of deporting the sovereign the likelihood of a civil war was precluded.

The king of Servia at Geneva has received the following message from the czar:

"Learning that the senate and the skupshtina had formally proclaimed you king of Servia, I venture to express to your majesty sincere wishes for the prosperity of your country and the hope that God may come to your assistance in the enterprise you have undertaken for the happiness of your people."

Leo Gets Gold Cross From New York.

ROME, June 17.—Count Camillo Pecci, the pope's nephew, presented the pontiff in the name of Charles Astor Bristed and his daughters of New York a magnificent gold pectoral cross adorned with diamonds, pearls and rubies. His holiness was much pleased with the gift and charged his nephew to convey his appreciation and thanks to the donors. The conversation during Count Pecci's visit turned on the recent reports of serious illness and even the death of the pontiff, at which Pope Leo showed considerable irritation and annoyance. His nephew in reassuring him said: "Your holiness must keep in mind the Italian proverb, 'The announcement of one's death always adds years to one's life.' This assures that you will live to see a hundred," at which remark the pope laughed heartily.

Rich Ithacan Missing.

ITHACA, N. Y., June 17.—Theodore Zinck, a well known resident, is missing, and it is feared that he has committed suicide by drowning in Cayuga lake. He hired a boat and went out on the lake. The empty boat was found, containing Zinck's coat and hat. During the typhoid epidemic Mr. Zinck's daughter died, and it is said that he has been despondent ever since. He was about fifty-nine years old, and his estate is estimated at over $100,000.

Bailey Will Not Be Pardoned.

BOSTON, June 17.—The executive council has voted not to grant the petition for a pardon for Jesse E. Bailey of Springfield, who is serving a five year sentence for embezzlement. It was shown at hearings that Bailey had misappropriated funds which were in his possession as receiver for an insolvent company. He was highly regarded in Springfield.

Emma Goldman In Paterson.

PATERSON, N. J., June 17.—Emma Goldman, the anarchist leader, has visited this city and addressed several meetings in an effort to raise money to carry to the higher courts the case of Grossman and MacQueen, who were convicted of having taken part in the labor riots here. Her mission is said to have been unsuccessful.

CLOUDBURST'S RUIN.

Town of Heppner Destroyed and Three Hundred Perish.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 16.—The town of Heppner, Morrow county, Ore., has been destroyed by a cloudburst, and between 300 and 400 lives were lost. One hundred and five bodies have been recovered.

There was a heavy rainfall about 6:30 o'clock, with thunder and lightning, but no unusual atmospheric disturbance, and the people of the town retired as usual. While every one was asleep a wall of water probably eight feet high descended from the summit of the Blue mountains and swept everything before it.

Heppner is the county seat of Morrow, has a population of 1,100 and is the center of a great wool growing industry. It is the terminus of the Oregon Railroad and Navigation company's Heppner branch.

Almost the entire residence portion of the town was destroyed, but some of the business part, which is on higher ground, escaped.

Huge bowlders weighing a ton were carried down by the current, and many people were killed by being crushed against the rocky bluff. Early in the afternoon a thunderstorm occurred, covering a wide region of country, and later a heavy rain storm set in, many of the small streams overflowing their banks in a short time. Bridges were swept away like straws. As soon as possible after the flood had subsided the work of relief was commenced by the citizens of the town.

Dozens of bodies were found lodged along the bends of Willow creek, and in several places they were piled over one another.

Fifteen buildings in the town of Lexington, nine miles below Heppner, on Willow creek, were washed away, but with no loss of life, the inhabitants having time to save themselves from the surging torrent.

DEATH LIST OF HEPPNER.

May Reach 300—Over 100 Yet to Be Accounted For.

HEPPNER, Ore., June 17.—The few survivors of the cloudburst which swept away the town of Heppner have gathered up the bodies of 300 of their fellow citizens and are asking the neighboring towns for coffins to put them in and for a large force of men to aid in their burial.

In addition, the bodies of seven Chinese, three Japanese and twenty-one strangers and babies, names unknown, go to swell the list.

More than 100 people remain to be accounted for.

It is now known that at least 300 people were drowned, and 115 corpses have been hastily buried in wooden boxes, while some were merely wrapped in blankets. There were still several wagon loads of dead unburied.

Heppner itself has now been pretty well searched except in piles of debris, where, it is thought, great numbers of bodies will be found.

Between Ione and Heppner there are mounds of debris, but the flood passed so quickly that the roads have not been seriously damaged.

It looks strange to see the heavy steel rails bent and twisted like corkscrews and big timbers splintered like match wood.

In Heppner itself the flood swept a clean path a mile long and two blocks wide through the town, following generally the course of Willow creek.

Among the incidents of the catastrophe was the heroic saving of three lives by Julius Keitley, an old man of seventy years. James Kernan, the Oregon Railway and Navigation company's agent, met his death at the telegraph key trying to call Portland to inform the outside world of the impending calamity.

Arrested For Czojar Murder.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., June 17.—By order of Coroner Davis, who is conducting the investigation of the murder of Mrs. Mary Czojar of Middlefield, Alfred Jambrick, who formerly boarded at Mrs. Czojar's house, was taken into custody. He was brought before the coroner for examination. A statement by the husband of the dead woman to the effect that an insult offered to Mrs. Czojar several days before the tragedy made it necessary for Jambrick to find another boarding place is supposed to have led to the latter's detention.

Troops Avert Lynching.

CINCINNATI, June 17.—There was a large crowd at the Chesapeake and Ohio depot in Covington, Ky., when Thomas Mann, Edward Morris and Charles Sanders, the three negroes charged with assaulting and robbing John Farrow and wife, were taken to Maysville, Ky., for trial. Sheriff Robinson was accompanied by troops from Louisville, Covington and Newport. The troops carried a Hotchkiss gun as well as their side arms. Troops from Frankfort and Lexington are in waiting at Maysville, so that every precaution has been taken to prevent lynching.

Standing of the Baseball Clubs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.
New York	34	15	.694
Pittsburg	36	17	.679
Chicago	34	19	.641
Brooklyn	24	23	.511
Cincinnati	21	26	.447
Boston	19	28	.404
Philadelphia	15	32	.319
St. Louis	15	38	.283

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Philadelphia	30	18	.648
Boston	28	18	.609
Cleveland	24	19	.558
St. Louis	21	20	.512
Chicago	21	22	.488
New York	20	23	.465
Detroit	20	26	.435
Washington	14	32	.304

Death of Nelson J. Innes.

BOSTON, June 17.—Word has reached here from Denver of the death of Nelson J. Innes, for many years sporting editor of the Boston Herald, one of the best knowing sporting writers in this section of the country.

LIPTON IS CONFIDENT

Gets a Send Off From New Yorkers In London.

HOPES TO WIN "BLOOMING OLD MUG"

Will Toe the Line at Sandy Hook, With Good Prospects of Shamrock III. Successfully Competing In Great Race.

LONDON, June 17.—Sir Thomas Lipton's last night in England prior to his leaving for New York was signalized by a large dinner at the Carlton hotel given in his honor by George T. Wilson of New York, at which the leading Americans in London and many distinguished Britishers were present. The room was profusely decorated with British and American flags.

Sir Thomas had an enthusiastic welcome from the company, which included the United States consul general, Mr. Perry Belmont of New York, Lord Deerhurst, Lord Fairfax, Members of Parliament J. H. Dalziel, W. McKillop, J. Henniker Heaton, Sir Charles Furness and Sir Gilbert Parker, Hiram Maxim, R. Peabody of New York and Designer George Watson.

The menus were inscribed "Bon voyage to Sir Thomas Lipton" and bore a picture of the Shamrock, stars and stripes and union jack intertwined. Proposing the health of his guest, Mr. Wilson struck a note, which was followed by the other American speakers, in saying that, while not wishing that Sir Thomas would lift the cup, Americans would rather see him successful than any other living Britisher.

Both the British and American speakers spoke in the highest terms of Sir Thomas' pluck and sportsmanship and expressed hopes that they would meet with their reward.

Sir Thomas Lipton's speech, which was received with great enthusiasm, was full of confidence. He said:

"I have the greatest respect, as I have reason to have, for the skill of Americans as shipbuilders, but you would not expect or wish me to toe the line at Sandy Hook in any but the most hopeful frame of mind. I have a very good hope that I shall soon be employed in getting an insurance on the famous cup. I have had advantages which I have never had before.

"From what I hear the Reliance is a wonder, for which I am glad, as we want to win against the very best that America is able to produce. If my hopes are fulfilled I am certain the American people will not grudge me the success.

"I wish to say in conclusion, gentlemen, that I hope to meet you all again when I return, but with the difference that we shall have that blooming old mug on the table in front of us."

PREPARING THE SHAMROCKS.

New Challenger Is Fast, but Not Fast Enough.

BROOKLYN, June 16.—Shamrock III., Britain's latest and best flier of the seas, has finished her long journey across the big pond and was warped alongside the main pier in Erie basin dry dock. Almost exactly a half hour later there was a second blowing of whistles and ringing of bells, and Shamrock I., in tow of the ocean tug Cruizer, poked her nose around the end of the pier and was made fast.

But figures of speech cannot lift the cup, and the old time captains and seamen who stood on the pier and looked the "new boat" over as she bobbed gently on the low swell made their calculations in lines, angles and measurements. The general verdict was:

"She's the best and fastest yet, but not quite fast enough."

Potsdam's Hundredth Birthday.

POTSDAM, N. Y., June 17.—The one hundredth anniversary of the founding of the town of Potsdam is being celebrated here. Visitors are here from various parts of the country. The exercises consisted of a general illumination and open air concert, followed by exercises in the town hall. Professor Raymond of Princeton university, son of the founder of the town, will read a poem written by himself for the occasion.

Ex-Chaplain of the Maine Resigns.

NEW YORK, June 17.—The Rev. John R. Chidwick, chaplain in the United States navy, has tendered his resignation to President Roosevelt. Father Chidwick was one of the first priests to be appointed in the navy and was chaplain of the ill fated Maine at the time of the explosion in Havana harbor. It is understood that he is to be appointed to one of the important parishes in this city.

Policing Auto Race to Cost $35,000.

LONDON, June 17.—The Irish treasury has decided that the promoters of the international automobile race for the James Gordon Bennett cup, which is to be run in Ireland July 2, must bear the cost of policing the course, amounting to about $35,000. Efforts are being made to induce the government to bear this expense, and the matter will be raised in parliament if necessary.

Odell Appoints New Judge.

ALBANY, N. Y., June 17.—Governor Odell has appointed Henry T. Kellogg of Plattsburg, county judge of Clinton county, to be justice of the supreme court in the Fourth judicial district to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of his father, S. A. Kellogg of Plattsburg. Justice Kellogg, the elder, resigned owing to continued ill health.

Italian Immigrants For Ecuador.

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador, June 17.—An Italian named Enrique Broggia has signed a contract with the Ecuadorean government to bring bodies of Italian immigrants to settle the eastern part of the country.

BANKER DEAN A SUICIDE.

Despondent and Thought to Have Been Temporarily Insane.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Frank Dean, vice president of the Seaboard National bank, committed suicide at his home, 152 Highland avenue, Orange, N. J., by shooting himself through the head. No reason is given for the act other than despondency due to the continued illness of his wife and the mental strain following upon the recent critical condition of his twelve-year-old son, now convalescing from pneumonia.

Mr. Dean arose at his usual hour and seemingly prepared for breakfast. While it was being placed upon the table the servants heard the sound of a shot and found Mr. Dean dead in his room. The revolver was still clutched in his hand. The bullet entered just over the right ear, and Dr. Wakely, who was summoned, said that death must have been instantaneous.

Mrs. Dean has been an invalid for a long time, and she and her husband made few acquaintances in East Orange, although they had lived there for five years. Mr. Dean, so far as known, was not a member of any local club or organization and lived a very quiet, retired life.

NO MINERS' STRIKE.

Action of Mine Workers' Convention Accepted.

SCRANTON, Pa., June 17.—There will be no strike in the anthracite region growing out of the refusal of the operators to recognize the credentials of District Presidents Nicholls, Fahy and Dettrey, selected by the joint executive board of the United Mine Workers as the miners' representatives on the board of conciliation.

The convention of the United Mine Workers elected the three district presidents by districts as their representatives, and the operators, through President George F. Baer of the Reading company, announced that this action was satisfactory.

Mr. Connell of the conciliation board, on the one hand, and President Mitchell, on the other, communicated with one another through Dr. Charles P. Neill, who was sent here as a peace envoy by some members of the strike commission, and the result was a tentative agreement that if the miners in the three separate district conventions elected representatives those representatives would not be objected to by the operators.

JETT AND WHITE TRIAL.

Hotel Burned Belonged to Witness Against Prisoners.

JACKSON, Ky., June 15.—The City hotel, a three story building, owned by Captain B. J. Ewen, the principal witness against Jett and White, now on trial for the assassination of Lawyer J. B. Marcum, has been burned to the ground. Fifteen guests were in the hotel, but all escaped without injury. There was no insurance on the structure, and the hotel, with its furnishings and the effects of the guests, is a total loss.

Three men reported having seen Joe Crawford and Ed Thap, wagoneers for the Hargis brothers, come across the bridge and return just before the blaze was discovered, and Major Allen ordered these men arrested. They were taken into the military camp by the soldiers and manacled in the guardhouse.

Eternal Question the Cause.

OGDENSBURG, N. Y., June 17.—Angelo Capozoli, employed at Massena, was brought to the hospital here mortally wounded from three knife thrusts. In a quarrel over a woman at Massena Sylvester Monco stabbed Capozoli in the spine, abdomen and ribs. Capozoli shot three times at his assailant, one bullet taking effect in the hand. Monco, arrested, admits the stabbing and has been held to await the result of Capozoli's wounds.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Closing Stock Quotations.

Money on call easy at 2@2½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5@6½ per cent. Exchanges, $283,304,927; balances, $16,514,270. Closing prices:

Amal. Copper	54¼	Norf. & West	63
Atchison	63⅝	Penn. R. R.	124⅞
B. & O.	54⅞	Reading	47⅝
Brooklyn R. T.	56⅝	Rock Island	33⅝
Ches. & Ohio	37	St. Paul	151¼
Chi. & Northw.	171	Southern Pac.	48⅝
D. & H.	173¾	Southern Ry.	24
Erie	32⅛	South. Ry. pf.	87
Gen. Electric	176½	Sugar	119¾
Illinois Cen.	133⅞	Texas Pacific	28
Louis. & Nash.	111	Union Pacific	80⅝
Manhattan	135⅞	U. S. Steel	30¼
Metropolitan	125	U. S. Steel pf.	80
Mo. Pacific	103	West. Union	85
N. Y. Central	127¾		

New York Markets.

FLOUR—Firm at old prices; Minnesota patents, $4.25@4.50; winter straights, $3.60@3.75; winter extras, $2.80@3.10; winter patents, $3.75@4.10.

WHEAT—Steady and unchanged except July, which advanced on small stocks, but later reacted; July, 82¾@82¾c.; September, 78⅝@78¾c.

RYE—Steady; state, 56½@59c., c. i. f., New York, No. 2 western, 60c., f. o. b., afloat.

CORN—Generally firm and higher on more bullish crop news; July, 56⅝@57c.; September, 54⅝@55c.

OATS—Quiet, but steady; track, white, state, 41@46c.; track, white, western, 41@46c.

PORK—Steady; mess, $18.25@18.75; family, $18.25@18.50.

LARD—Steady; prime western steam, 9.15c.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 17@21c.; extra creamery, 21½c.

CHEESE—Irregular; state, full cream, fancy, small, colored, 10¾c.; small, white, 10¾c.; large, colored, 10¾c.; large, white, 10¾c.

EGGS—Quiet; state and Pennsylvania extras, 18½c.; state and Pennsylvania firsts, 16½@17c.; western extras, 18½c.

RICE—Firm; domestic, 4¼@7c.; Japan nominal.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 5c.; country, 5⅛@5¾c.

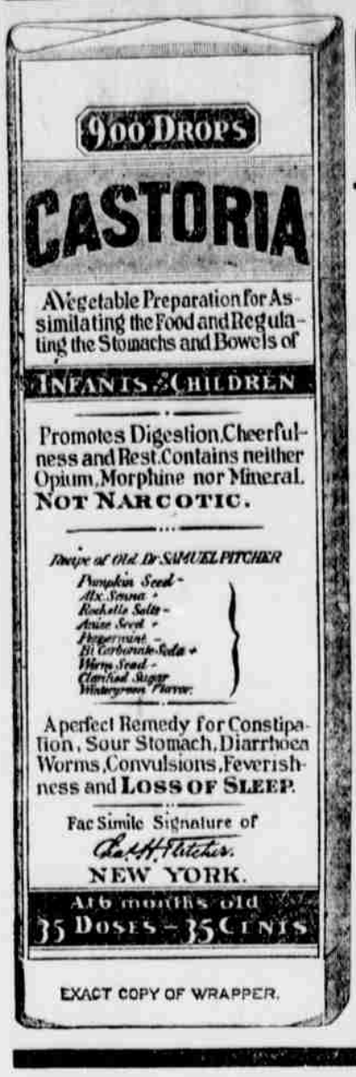
HAY—Strong; shipping, 80@85c.; good to choice, $1.20@1.30.

Live Stock Market.

CATTLE—Market steady; choice, $5.40@5.50; prime, $5.15@5.35; good, $4.85@5; veal calves, $7@7.25.

HOGS—Market higher; prime heavies, $6.35@6.40; mediums and heavy Yorkers, $6.45@6.50; light Yorkers, $6.50@6.60; pigs, $6.60@6.70; roughs, $4@5.75.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market steady; best wethers, $4.90@5.10; culls and common, $2@3; choice yearlings, $5.25@5.50.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Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Fortieth Anniversary of Battle.

For the benefit of those desiring to attend the exercises to be held at Gettysburg, Pa., commemorating the fortieth anniversary of the battle, on July 1, 2, and 3, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets to Gettysburg from all stations on its lines in the State of Pennsylvania east of and excluding Johnstown; also from stations on the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad Division and the Buffalo and Allegheny Valley Division north of but not including Oil City, at rate of a *single fare for the round trip* (minimum rate, $1.00). Tickets will be sold and good going June 30, July 1, 2, and 3, and good to return until July 6, inclusive. 6-11-2t.

Reduced Rates to Boston.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Meeting First Church of Christ Scientists.

On account of the meeting of the First Church of Christ, Scientists, at Boston, Mass., on June 28 to July 1, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Boston from all points on its lines on June 26, 27, 28 and 29, good going on those dates and good to return between June 28 and July 2, inclusive at rate of single fare for the round trip, plus $1.00. By depositing ticket with Joint Agent at Boston, between July 1 and 4, inclusive, and payment of fee of fifty cents, extension of return limit may be obtained to August 1. For stop-over privileges and further information consult nearest ticket agent.

THE MARKETS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY. RETAIL PRICES.

Butter, per pound	$ 18
Eggs, per dozen	18
Lard, per pound	15
Ham, per pound	15 to 16
Beef (quarter), per pound	6 to 8
Wheat, per bushel	1 00
Oats, do	40
Rye, do	60
Flour per bbl.	4.00 to 4 40
Hay, per ton	16 00
Potatoes, per bushel	80
Turnips, do	40
Tallow, per pound	06
Shoulder, do	12½
Bacon, do	18
Vinegar, per qt	05
Dried apples, per pound	05
Cow hides, do	3½
Steer do do	05
Calf skin	80
Sheep pelts	75
Shelled corn, per bushel	80
Corn meal, cwt	2 00
Bran, cwt	1 20
Chop, cwt	1 50
Middlings, cwt	1 40
Chickens, per pound, new	12½
do do old	12
Turkeys do	18
Geese, do	11
Ducks, do	14

COAL.

Number 6, delivered	
do 4 and 5 delivered	
do 6, at yard	
do 4 and 5, at yard	

TAILOR-MADE SUITS.

N. S. Tingley has accepted the agency for Reinach, Ullman & Co. of Chicago, merchant tailors, and is ready to supply made-to-measure clothing at prices lower than can be obtained elsewhere. He has a large line of samples to select from. His place of business is the third floor of the COLUMBIAN building. tf.

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DR. MITCHELL OPPOSED TO COL. LEGE FOOTBALL.

Says Too Much Time is Given to Athletics.

In a letter to the editor of the Record of the Senior Class of the University of Pennsylvania, Dr. S. Weir Mitchell takes a stand against college athletics, as now practiced. In the course of the letter, he says:

"A distinguished surgeon said to me last night that hundreds of men are to-day suffering, and will continue more and more to suffer, from the injuries received on the football field."

After speaking of his own college days—Dr. Mitchell was a member of the class of 1848—he goes on to say:

"The change from that day to this has been great, indeed, but I am clear in my mind that in some respects you have lost out of the college life that which it were better to have kept.

"Our sports were less violent than yours. We had no football or races, or contests with other universities, but we played cricket, and played it well, too, and rowed on the river and sparred with the once famous Tom Barrett. We had no game which necessitated the attendance of a physician.

"It is needless to insist on what we missed and what, in consequence, my generation failed to be and to do—it is sadly interesting to speculate on what we might have been—for by this time you must all be aware that without college athletics no nation can long survive. Who can doubt that the discipline of the football field must have been terribly missed at the 'Bloody Angle' and on Cemetary Hill? We played hard in my college days, but we talked of our sports less than you do.

"On the other hand we were enthusiastic concerning the rising literary lights of Tennyson and Carlyle, and had, as I take it, a keener interest in the intellectual life of the world and of the college than exists to-day. You, I fear, care too little for your intellectual athletics, and certainly do not decorate or publicly honor them or portray them in your class records as you do the baseball teams. As I remember, we regarded our honor men with a certain veneration and took such interest in our society debates as I hope still exists within the sacred walls of my own Philomathean.

"There were other differences: I do not recall even hearing of bets on our cricket matches. Perhaps, however, we may at times have been a little vicious. There were, in fact, certain personal remarks it was not wise to make unless you felt willing to take off your coat back of the college. Nowadays the training in athletics is said to make this vulgar resort needless, and to encourage such amiability as did not exist in the less polished life of my college years.

"It is rather late to say to a graduating class that athletics have to-day tao large a place in the life and talk of college men, and that the intellectual athletics of your class, whom in future years you will delight to honor, will owe nothing to the football field or the race track. Athletic sports are meant, as I see them, to insure that the body be made and kept sound enduring sound, so as the better to enable men to meet the demands of our energetic life. A distinguished surgeon said to me last night that hundreds of men are to-day suffering, and will continue more and more to suffer, from the injuries received in football. If this be the result, are we not justified in asking that this attractive sport should be so modified as to free it from the unwholesome consequences which must affect the competency of many active lives?"

Huckleberries Plentiful.

The huckleberries are beginning to ripen and with the recent rain and a few days of sunshine the berry business will be booming. The bushes are well filled and considering the severe drouth the berries are of good size and the yield promises to be equally as large as last year, although the pickers will not be so numerous and this may materially curtail shipments. Pickers too, will insist on the price for picking being kept up to five cents per quart.

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DO RICHES CORRUPT?

Question Discussed by Senator Depew and Dr. Hillis.

Senator Attempts to Explain Why Sons of Rich Men Are Safer from Temptation Than Poor Boys Who Go to the City.

Senator Chauncey M. Depew has taken issue with Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, of Plymouth church, Brooklyn, who said at the annual conference of Orthodox Friends that "We all go to the devil on $50,000 a year—at least a great many men I know are going to the devil on that sum and few are escaping it."

"It all amounts to this," said Senator Depew, "whether a man has first an inclination to go to the devil, or, secondly, with power enough to resist the temptations that take him there. If a man possesses the first or lacks the second condition he can just as well go to the devil on $10,000 a year as $50,000 in these days.

"Families of large incomes give sons a liberal education and it is not from the ranks of these that those are recruited who throw themselves into dissipation. The number of those who attend college who go to the devil is so small as scarcely to be appreciable. It is rather those who come to large cities from the country, sons of families of moderate means, who are apt to go to the devil. This is owing to the discomforts of boarding houses, the attractions of saloons, and the coldness of the churches. A young man who has been accustomed to be petted in his own town and who on coming to the city and going to the church of his own denomination does not find the congregation running to greet him is likely to look for solace elsewhere, and I tell you it takes a greater will

REV. NEWELL D. HILLIS.
(Brooklyn Preacher Who Believes That Riches Cause Corruption.)

than most men are gifted with to resist the social influences of the saloon.

"The reason so few sons of families of wealth go to the devil is because family influences hedge them in until they are old enough to stand alone, which is when they are about 26, at which age there is little danger of their going astray. The tone of the colleges in which they are brought up nowadays is as hostile to dissipation as formerly it was otherwise. A man who is addicted to drink now is a social outcast. Not one per cent. of the sons of those who have $50,000 a year go to the devil."

Dr. Hillis was speaking on Oliver Cromwell's protection of religious liberty, and said: "He was the greatest lover of liberty and righteousness that ever led troops into the field to enforce his ideals. To-day we are raising pampered sons and daughters and surrounding them with every luxury and idle satisfaction of desire, and they are rotten before they are ripe.

"I repeat it, they are rotten before they are ripe, and boys in many cases are sinful before they are bearded. Sunday has to a great extent ceased to be a day of worship."

Mr. Hillis continued: "Men rise at ten o'clock and drive until 12, eat a dinner of 12 courses, and in the evening hold a reception for their friends.

"Women and children follow much the same plan. They practice the ten commandments with the 'shall nots' left out, and I warn them that in the end they will find that God and nature practice the ten commandments, but the 'shall nots' are left in.

"I cannot pick up a paper but that I see the 400 of this city engaged in divorce suits. Even the oldest families of Boston are in the divorce courts. I tremble for my country when all the work a preacher does at one end in marrying the judge undoes at the other end in the divorce court.

"Culture does not stand for all. You cannot make a bad man good by culture and education, any more than you can improve a well of water polluted with typhoid germs by painting the pump with harmonious colors. If the women of my congregation who are suffering from nervous prostration had the will power to take nine out of every ten of their frocks into the back yard and burn them I do not think they would longer be troubled with their nervous prostration."

Will Not Marry Topers.

Young men who have acquired a taste for strong liquor need not look for wives among the young girls of Waremme, in Belgium, since they have solemnly vowed that they will not marry men who drink. The pledge they took after they had formed a society, which is known as the "Union of Swallows," and the sole object of which is to ward off undesirable suitors. The members are quite as willing to marry as other girls, but they vow that they will remain old maids to the end of their days sooner than give their hands and hearts to men who betray even a moderate liking for strong liquor.

WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, June 15, 1903.

Will President Roosevelt have the moral courage to call for the resignation of his "political manager" Postmaster General Payne? is the question which persons familiar with the Postoffice scandal are asking each other. It will be remembered that while Mr. Payne anticipated a perfunctory investigation, he never expected any thorough sifting of the Postoffice affairs and during his absence First Assistant Postmaster General Wynne made representations to the President which caused the latter to order Fourth Assistant Bristow to make a relentless investigation of the alleged frauds. The result was that when Payne returned from Porto Rico he found the Department in a turmoil and was besieged by the guilty ones to put a stop to Bristow's activity. This he was unable to do, since Bristow was acting under direct orders from the President and had already been furnished a wealth of information by Wynne. About this time the President left for the West and now that he has returned he has been placed in possession of extensive evidence showing that Payne had done everything possible to thwart the investigation, as has been related in these letters, and that the Postmaster General has even retained in the capacity of his "confidential clerk" a man, H. H. Rand, who is hand in glove with the Machen crowd, who has used his office to further his private ends and has generally abused his official position. From remarks dropped by the President there is no doubt were he not on the eve of an election he would summarily dismiss Payne but that he will have the courage to do so under the circumstances is doubtful, especially as Payne is the fond protege of Hanna.

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The President and his Postmaster General have just been to Cleveland to attend the wedding of Miss Ruth Hanna a daughter of the Senator, and it is regarded as especially significant that Mr, Payne went to Ohio 24 hours before the President, his purpose undoubtedly being to talk over the situation with his real chief before the President arrived. It has been ascertained that Payne now has on his desk a report made by Bristow in regard to the Tulloch charges, which places former First Assistant Postmaster General Perry Heath in a most unfortunate light. Your correspondent, among many others, has made a daily demand on the Postmaster General for a copy of this report but so anxious is Mr. Payne to protect his friend and fellow member of the republican National Committee, that he is even incurring the condemnation of the most loyal republican newspapers, rather than permit the report to become public.

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Senator Clay of Georgia, is in Washington, and when seen by your correspondent talked interestingly of democratic affairs. He said, "The names most mentioned for democratic candidate in my state are Gorman and Parker. At one time I thought Parker would be sure of the nomination but Gorman appears to be gaining ground. I do not believe Cleveland will be a candidate, and I think that, if it becomes necessary, he will make an announcement to that effect, I do not think any man can secure the nomination by attempting to swerve democratic sentiment. The candidate will be the man whom the convention regards as most available at the time it meets. With regard to issues, I believe we should present conservative platform. I would not exclude the tariff issue but would not favor sweeping changes that would disturb business. Silver should be omitted entirely. It belongs to the past. I was an advocate of silver and believe in it now, but I realize that the time is at hand for us to make a conservative platform on which all can stand, dealing only with issues of the present day".

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An illustration of the bungling manner in which naval affairs are handled these days, is furnished by the recent order issued by Secretary Moody for four war ships to proceed to Chili. Immediately the story was circulated that the ships were sent at the request of the British Ambassador because of the labor troubles in Valparaiso and numerous rumors began to fly. The Chilian Minister, Dr. Walker-Martinez, promptly filed a protest saying there was no occasion for such an expedition and that there were no serious labor troubles in Valparaiso. Other South American Ministers besieged the State Department, which knew nothing of the proposed expedition, and the upshot of the whole affair has been that the orders have been recalled and that no vessels will go to Chili.

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Speaking of naval affairs, it has just been learned that the Nevada has been injured in the same manner as was the Maine, recently. The two 12 inch guns in the forward turret were fired simultaneously and the recoil burst off the flanges of the wheels on which the turret revolves and the turret itself became jammed and useless. The usual investigation will follow and will, of course, disclose the usual incompetence in preparing the plans for this vessel. As the blame will be on the Navy Department the public will be informed that the accident was unavoidable. As the Arkansas and the Florida are similarly built it is believed neither will stand the strain of a similar test and the Government will proceed to expend large sums repairing vessels almost new and which should have been so planned as to resist any strain for many years. Only the firms which will receive the contract for repairs will profit by this carelessness.

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The Bureau of Forestry has just issued a remarkably clear and useful bulletin on forestry. It is entitled "The Woodlot" and can be obtained free by addressing members of Congress or the Department of Agriculture. By simple diagrams the principles of forestry are made clear and explicit directions for the care of the woodlot with a view to making it continually productive of the necessary supply of fuel and posts are given. So numerous are the inquiries of farmers and land owners who have small tracts of woodland which they wish to make regularly productive, that it is impossible for the men in the Bureau of Forestry to answer the question put. It is now believed that the new bulletin will answer all questions even better than would personal letters.

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BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

In effect January 26th, 1902.

EAST.

STATIONS.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
NORTHUMBERLAND	†6 35	10 00	1.50	†5 25
Cameron	6 47	10 10	†2 01	†5 34
Danville	6 57	10 19	2 11	5 43
Catawissa	7 10	10 32	2 23	5 59
Rupert	7 16	10 37	2 29	6 01
Bloomsburg	7 20	10 41	2 35	6 05
Espy	7 28	10 48	2 40	6 13
Lime Ridge	7 35	†10 54	†2 46	6 20
Willow Grove	†7 40	10 57	†2 50	6 24
Briarcreek	7 44	10 69	†2 53	†6 27
Berwick	7 50	11 05	2 58	6 34
Beach Haven	7 58	†11 12	3 03	6 41
Hick's Ferry	8 07	11 17	3 09	†6 47
Shickshinny	8 17	11 31	3 20	6 59
Hunlock's	8 27	11 39	3 31	†7 09
Nanticoke	8 34	11 44	3 38	7 14
Avondale	8 37	11 47	3 42	7 22
Plymouth	8 44	11 52	3 47	7 23
Plymouth Junction	8 47	11 55	3 52	7 30
Kingston	8 55	11 59	4 00	7 48
Bennett	8 58	12 02	4 03	7 42
Forty Fort	9 00	12 04	4 07	7 44
Wyoming	9 05	12 08	4 12	7 58
West Pittston	9 10	12 12	4 17	7 51
Susquehanna Ave	9 13	12 14	4 20	7 06
Pittston	9 19	12 17	4 24	8 08
Duryea	9 23	12 20	4 29	8 10
Lackawanna	9 26	12 22	4 32	8 16
Taylor	9 32	12 28	4 40	8 17
Bellevue	9 37	12 32	4 45	8 21
SCRANTON	9 42	12 35	4 50	8 25
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.

WEST.

STATIONS.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
SCRANTON	6 35	10 10	1 55	†6 10
Bellevue	6 39	10 17	1 59	6 14
Taylor	6 43	10 24	2 03	6 18
Lackawanna	6 48	10 28	2 10	6 24
Duryea	6 53	10 33	2 13	6 26
Pittston	6 57	10 37	2 17	6 30
Susquehanna Ave	7 00	10 41	2 19	6 32
West Pittston	7 03	10 46	2 23	6 35
Wyoming	7 08	10 49	2 27	6 40
Forty Fort	7 12	10 52	2 31	6 43
Bennett	7 15	10 56	2 34	6 47
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Lime Ridge	8 31	12 09	3 58	8 02
Espy	8 37	12 22	4 06	8 17
Bloomsburg	8 44	12 15	4 12	8 20
Rupert	8 47	12 25	4 15	8 25
Catawissa	8 54	12 32	4 2	8 37
Danville	9 06	12 44	32	
Cameron	9 21	12 57	4 48	8 52
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 35	1 10	5 00	9 05
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ARRIVE.				STATIONS.	LEAVE			
a m	a.m.	p m	p.m.		a m	p m	p m	a.m
7.10	12.10	6.00	2.15	Bloomsb'g	8.50	2 37	6 25	3 10
7.08	12.08	5.55	2.10	" P. & P.	8.52	2.39	6.27	
7.03	12.02	5.53	2.08	" Main st.	8.55	2.42	6.30	
7.53	11.53	5.42	1.50	Paper Mill	9.05	2.52	6.40	
6.50	11.50	5.39	1.45	..Light st.	9.08	2.55	6.41	3.37
6.40	11.42	5.31	1.30	Orangeville	9.16	3.03	6.53	4.50
6.29	11.31	5.21	1.00	...Fork...	9.26	3.13	6.03	7.10
6.25	11.29	5.17	12.53	...Zaner...	9.30	3.17	6.07	7.25
6.18	11.21	5.08	12.45	Stillwater	9.38	3.25	6.13	7.45
6.08	11.13	5.00	12.34	..Benton...	9.46	3.33	7.23	8.00
6.04	11.09	4.56	12.10	..Edson's..	9.50	3.37	7.27	8.10
6.02	11 06	4.53	12.06	.Cole's Crk	9.53	3.40	7.31	8.40
5.53	11.02	4.48	11.53	..Laubach..	9.58	3.45	7.41	8.46
5.43	10.51	4.38	11.45	...Central	10.05	3.52	7.51	9.05
5.40	10.48	4.35	11.30	.Jam. City.	10.08	3.55	6.55	2.09
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For Danville and Milton, weekdays, 7.37 a m 3.33 p. m.

For Catawissa weekdays 7.37, 11.30 a m 12.20, 6.30, p. m.

For Rupert weekdays 7.37, 11.30 a. m. 12.20 3.33, 6.30, p. m.

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Leave Pottsville 12.55 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua 1.49 p. m.,

Leave Williamsport weekdays 10.00 a m, 4. p. m.

Leave Catawissa weekdays, 6.36, 8.20 a. m. 1.36, 3.36 p.m.

Leave Rupert, weekdays, 6.44, 8.28, 11.49 a m. 1.38, 3.46 p. m.

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NORTHWARD.

STATIONS.	A. M.	A. M.	P M	P. M.
Sunbury.....leave	† 6 45	† 9 55	§ 2 00	† 5 25
Klines Grove	† 6 54	† 10 04	.....	† 5 35
Wolverton	† 6 58	† 10 06	† 2 10	† 5 37
Kipps Run	† 7 06	† 10 11	.....	† 5 44
South Danville	7 11	10 17	2 21	5 50
Danville				
Boyd	† 7 16	† 10 21	† 2 25	† 5 53
Roaring Creek	† 7 23	† 10 28	† 2 31	† 6 01
Catawissa.....Arrive	7 32	10 35	2 36	6 08
Catawissa.....Leave	† 7 32	† 10 35	§ 2 36	† 6 08
East Bloomsburg	7 37	10 43	2 43	6 15
Bloomsburg				
Espy Ferry	† 7 42	† 10 47	.....	† 6 19
Stonytown Ferry	† 7 50	† 10 53	.....	† 6 27
Creasy	7 52	10 56	2 55	6 30
Nescopeck.....Arrive	8 02	11 05	3 05	6 40
Berwick				
Nescopeck.....Leave	§ 8 02	§ 11 05	§ 3 05	§ 6 40
Wapwallopen	8 19	11 20	3 20	6 52
Pond Hill	§ 8 25	§ 11 25	§ 3 25	§ 6 56
Moncanaqua	8 31	11 32	3 30	7 01
Sicksbinny				
Retreat	8 43	11 42	3 40	7 10
Nanticoke	8 54	11 54	3 49	7 19
Buttonwood	† 9 00	† 12 00	§ 3 55	§ 7 25
Plymouth Ferry	† 9 02	† 12 02	§ 3 57	§ 7 28
South Wilkesbarre	9 06	12 06	4 00	7 30
Hazle Street	9 08	12 08	4 03	7 33
Wilkesbarre .....Arrive	9 10	12 10	4 05	7 35
	A. M.	P. M	P. M.	P. M.

SOUTHWARD.

STATIONS.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Wilkesbarre.....Leave	§ 7 25	§ 10 35	§ 2 45	§ 6 00
Hazle Street	7 28	10 37	2 47	6 02
South Wilkesbarre	7 30	10 40	2 50	6 05
Plymouth Ferry	† 7 32	† 10 42	† 2 52	† 6 07
Buttonwood	† 7 35	† 10 45	† 2 54	† 6 09
Nanticoke	7 42	10 50	3 01	6 17
Retreat	7 51	10 58	3 10	6 26
Shickshinny				
Mocanaqua	8 01	11 07	3 20	6 37
Pond Hill	§ 8 05	§ 11 11	§ 3 25	§ 6 42
Wapwallopen	8 10	11 16	3 31	6 47
Nescopeck.....Arrive	8 18	11 26	3 42	7 00
Berwick	§ 8 18	§ 11 26	§ 3 42	§ 7 00
Nescopeck.....Leave				
Creasy	8 30	11 36	3 52	7 09
Stonytown Ferry	§ 8 33	† 11 38	§ 3 54	† 7 12
Espy Ferry	8 42	† 11 46	† 4 02	† 7 20
Bloomsburg	8 47	11 50	4 06	7 25
East Bloomsburg				
Catawissa.....Arrive	8 55	11 57	4 13	7 32
Catawissa.....Leave	8 55	11 57	4 13	7 32
Roaring Creek	† 9 04	† 12 05	† 4 19	† 7 39
Boyd	† 9 10	† 12 11	† 4 26	† 7 46
Danville	9 14	12 15	4 31	7 51
South Danville				
Kipps Run	† 9 19	† 12 20	† 4 35	† 7 56
Wolverton	† 9 25	† 12 28	† 4 42	† 8 03
Klines Grove	† 9 27	† 12 30	† 4 45	† 8 06
Sunbury.....Arrive	§ 9 35	§ 12 40	§ 4 55	§ 8 15
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

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FOR REAL DEMOCRACY.

Like a first ray of light after long days of blackest darkness comes the information from Philadelphia that an "Independence Club" has been organized by Democrats for the purpose of promoting "uncompromising Democracy, in the best sense of that term, against Republican corruption and the trading, truckling spirit of some of the present Democratic organization leaders." The president of the club is M. C. Paul, a Representative in the Legislature of 1900, a man of fine abilities and the highest integrity, himself an uncompromising Democrat of the kind described.

For years the trading of the Donnelly-Ryan wing of the so-called Democrats of Philadelphia has been a scandal in the city and throughout the whole State. Trading on a lesser scale has occurred in other cities than Philadelphia, and the ugly form of that corrupt creation, infamously doing business under the appellation of "Democrat," now intrudes itself in the Capital City. One of the most astounding things in the politics of Pennsylvania is that a State leadership which is itself above suspicion should recognize these local leaders as Democrats and permit their organizations to be represented in the State Committee and at State Conventions.

Whenever the operations of these traders are manifest, organizations of real Democrats should be formed and should demand recognition at the hands of the State Committee, and thus give the governing organization opportunity to say whether they are Democrats who call themselves so only for barter and briberty, or whether they are Democrats who are known to be so solely in the interests of pure politics and the broad principles of Democracy. It is time the lepers of the party were cast into outermost political darkness and that men of untainted character and real Democracy were put on guard.—*Patriot.*

Trolley and the Dance to Blame.

In a sermon to an immense congregation in the Church of the Holy Infancy, in South Bethlehem, Rev. Philip McEnroe continued his remarks touching the bachelors in his parish. He condemned trolley riding and dance balls because they diverted the unmarried men's attention from the matrimonial path. "Your fathers were not of your like," he said. "They saved money, married and raised large families." Pointing to the bachelors present, he exclaimed: "And some of you old fellows before me have no more hair on your head than I have."

Largest Mine in the World

It is claimed that the greatest body of anthracite coal in the world is about to be uncovered in the new stripping now being opened by Coxe Bros. & Co. This great body is east of Drifton and is in some places 104 feet thick. The stripping is 4,700 feet wide and contains upwards of 9,000,000 tons of hard coal of the best quality. In fact, there is sufficient coal to hold out as long as the last member of the present generation of Coxes. This stripping is no doubt the largest coal mine in the world.—*Freeland Press.*

Value of a Grange.

A subordinate Grange is the most practical and the most natural means of promoting all the interests of a rural community ever conceived in the history of the world, for the following reasons:

1. It contributes to the social life by frequent regular meeting in which the art of sociability is so agreeable and informally taught as to fascinate rather than repel those participating in the exercises.

2. It contributes to the high moral standard by affording convenient and agreeable society for old and young in which the highest standard of morality is maintained, thereby preventing association of its members in society of the opposite nature.

3. It contributes to the happiness of home by the mental recreation afforded all members of the family in the various Grange gatherings attended, thereby broadening their mental vision and increasing their happiness, which is sure to be reflected in their home life.

4. It contributes to the material prosperity by its discussion of all matters of importance tending to local development, and often is instrumental in securing the establishment of industries that give added population as well as taxable property, thereby aiding every taxpayer in town.

5. It contributes to the general intelligence of the inhabitants by its frequent discussion of questions of a public nature and by the educating influence of other exercises, resulting in mental development and a more intelligent citizenship, which is an uplifting force in any town.

6. It contributes to the general welfare by dissipating neighborhood quarrels, by breaking up long-standing feuds caused by church, school, or society troubles, by promoting better roads, better schools, and better farming, by stimulating more interest in public affairs, resulting in the election of better men to office and better enforcement of law as well as the better transaction of the public business of towns, counties, and states.

7. A subordinate Grange contributes in these ways to the upbuilding of a rural community by making it a more desirable place in which to live and making its citizens more intelligent, more prosperous, and more happy.

A mysterious tribe of white men and women are said to have been discovered in the interior of the Philippines. They are tall, light of complexion and have blue eyes, and take to the jungles in flight on the approach of strangers. They are supposed to be descendants of the survivors of a shipwreck centuries ago. The war department will send an expedition to make investigation.

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THE SCHOOL BOARD.

A Reorganization Effected Tuesday Evening.

An adjourned meeting of the Bloomsburg School Board was held Tuesday evening. It was the concluding meeting of the old board, and the work of the year was finished up, and a reorganization effected.

Dr. Redeker was unable to be present, and Joseph Garrison was elected president pro tem.

The Secretary reported that he had made the loan of $1200, as recommended by the Board.

The statement prepared for the auditors, by the secretary, showed a balance in the treasurer's hands of 206,83. On motion the same was approved, and it was ordered that the financial statement be published in the COLUMBIAN, *Republican, Daily*, and *Morning Press*.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Garrison: "Whereas the banks of our town are among our heaviest tax payers and therefore are each equally entitled to our patronage as a board, therefore *Resolved*, that in the future we will make no distinction of any bank with our favors, but will give each the benefit of our deposits as their regular turn shall come." Mr. Garrison moved for the adoption of the resolution, seconded by Mr. Taylor, but it was defeated by a vote of 3 to 2.

Monday evening June 22d, was set apart as the time for the election of teachers and janitors..

At the conclusion of the regular business, the Board reorganized by electing James C. Brown, president, Joseph Garrison, Secretary and Dr. F. N. Redeker, treasurer. The salary of the secretary was fixed the same as last year, namely $20.00 per month, and the commission of the treasurer was made the same as heretofore.

Flags and Religion.

In speaking of the part played by the national colors in the decoration of churches for the Children's Day services on Sunday, one of our exchanges says: "A few years since flag trimmed churches would have seemed incongruous, but time has changed all that. The close and vital connection of church and nation is being more and more clearly understood, an enlightened citizenship is known now to be the greatest hope our country has, patriotism and religion are going hand in hand, and the flags that were used in churches on Sunday to jointly commemorate children's day and flag day were beautiful symbols of a new and happier era for our land.

Bird Circular.

The Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture has just issued a circular in pamphlet form, under the title "Birds around the Farm," that will do more to protect the birds than all the laws that have been passed for their protection. The publication shows that "birds are among the greatest friends of the growers of fruit and vegetation," and that from an economic standpoint they "represent cash value far beyond previous belief." Farmers are advised to attract birds to their premises by the erection of bird boxes or houses, in order to reap the benefits of the presence of the active little bug pickers. The circular should be given a wide circulation among farmers.

Notice to Teachers.

Notice is hereby given, that the directors of the Bloomsburg School District, will meet on Monday evening, June 22d, 1903, for the appointment of teachers and janitors for the ensuing year. Applications from experienced teachers only will be considered and those selected must attend semi-monthly institutes. Applications will be received until 6 p. m. of said day by the Secretary.

JOS. GARRISON, Sec'y.

DEATH OF MRS. FRAZER.

Capt. J. B. Robison on Friday received information of the death of his sister, Mrs. Harriet (Robison) Frazer. She died May 9th at Moore, Idaho.

Mrs Frazer was the daughter of the late William and Betsy (Barton) Robison. She was born in Bloomsburg, Pa., November 6th, 1824, and was married to Charles Erastus Frazer, May 24, 1860. Part of their married life was spent in Hazleton, Bloomsburg and Espy of this state. Thence they moved to Peoria, Ill. From Peoria they went to Bogota, South America. Two or three years after that they returned to the United States taking up their residence at San Francisco, California, where they have since resided until the latter part of last March when they went to Moore, Idaho. Mrs. Frazer leaves besides her husband, two children, Charles living in San Francisco, and Mrs. Fanny Culver who resides in Los Angeles, California. A brother, J. B. Robison, mentioned above, and a sister, Mrs. H. A. Barber, of McPherson, Kansas, are the only survivors of her father's family of thirteen children.

Mrs. Frazer was a very earnest and devoted Christian woman and belonged to the Presbyterian Church of which she became a member in her youth at Bloomsburg, Pa.

TO ENLARGE POULTRY SHEDS.

At the meeting of the executive committee of the Columbia County Agricultural Society, held on Saturday, it was decided to enlarge the poultry department. The inadequacy of the present buildings have for years been apparent, and cost of renting tents to shelter the poultry entered after all the space had been taken up, has been quite large. It is the purpose of the society to obtain plans and bids for the proposed building.

The catalogue was modified so as to make the entrance fee twenty-five cents for each pair of chickens, and the premium for each pair has been increased from $1.00 to $1.50. It is believed that this change will serve to bring to the exhibition this fall, the greatest display of poultry the Society has ever had.

Those who attended the meeting were president A. C. Creasy, treasurer J. C. Brown, secretary A. N. Yost, and members Henry Deighmiller, A. R. Henrie, Elisha Ringrose and A. V. Kressler.

Boom For Centralia.

Centralia is to receive another boom in business owing to the Lehigh Valley Coal Company having decided to sink a new shaft near the town and cut through new veins of coal. The latter was proved for some time ago and there was every indication that a great body of fuel still surrounded Centralia. The shaft will be sunk to a great depth and a railroad will be built to the Centralia breaker, which will prepare the coal from the new shaft for market. Between 400 and 500 men and boys will be furnished employment at the new operation.

Bucknell's 53d Commencement.

The 53rd commencement of Bucknell University will take place June 19 to 24 inclusive. The renowned Allentown band will furnish the music, and will give Twilight concerts on the campus on the 22d and 23d.

Among the speakers are: Merrill Edward Gates, LL. D., Washington, D. C.; Alvah S. Hobart, D. D., Crozer Theological Seminary; Wayland Hoyt, D. D., LL. D., Philadelphia; Frederick Bertolette, Esq., Mauch Chunk, Alumni Orator: John I. Woodruff, Dean of Susquehanna University, Alumni Poet.

An Effective Description.

"To what do you attribute Mr. ——— failure in life?" asked a Court House official of a gentleman standing in the Prothonotary's office as the COLUMBIAN man was passing along yesterday. "Well," answered the gentleman "he has always lived beyond his means, or in other words, he has a champaign appetite and a beer income."

Festival at Forks.

There will be a picnic and festival held at Mr. E. M. Laubach's grove on the Fourth of July. Ikeler's band will enliven the occasion with some fine music. Dinner will be served on the ground for 25 cents. Proceeds for the benefit of Zion Sunday School. Come one, come all.

"The Girl and the Guardsman."

The Middle Year Class of 1903 has secured Mr. Alexander Black for Saturday evening, June 20, in his picture play, "The Girl and the Guardsman." This will be a rare treat. Admission 25 cents. Diagram at Bidleman's.

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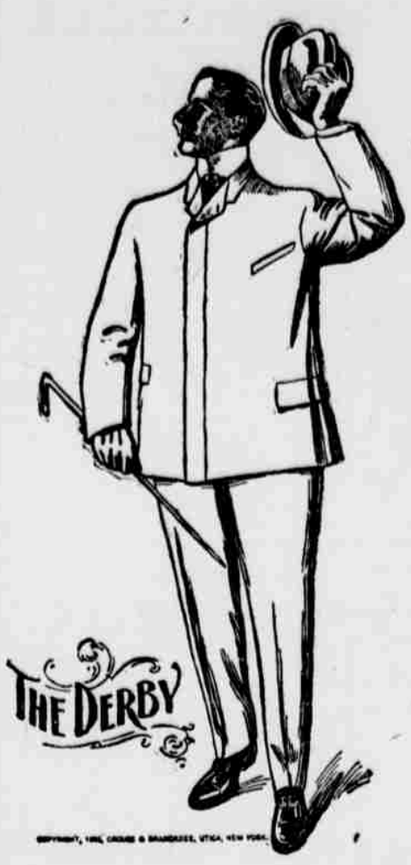

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THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1903.

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Cars leave Bloom for Espy, Almedia, Lime Ridge, Berwick and intermediate points as follows:

A. M. 5:00, 5:40, 6:20, 7:00, 7:40, 8:20, 9:00, 9:40, 10:20, 11:00, 11:40.

P. M. 12:20, 1:00, 1:40, 2.20, 3:00, 3:40, 4:20, 5:00, 5:40, 6:20, 7:00, 7:40, 8:20, 9:00, 10:20 and (11:00 Saturday nights only.)

Leaving depart from Berwick one hour from time as given above, commencing at 130 a. m.

Leave Bloom for Catawissa A. M. 6:20, 7:00, 7:40, 8:20, 9:00, 9:40, 10:00, 11:40.

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Cars returning depart from Catawissa 20 minutes from time as given above.

D. G. HACKETT.
Superintendent.

The coatless man throws a careless arm
Round the waist of the hatless girl
As over the dustless and mudless road
In a horseless carriage they whirl.
Although for lunch his coinless purse
For them affords no means
Save a tasteless meal of boneless Cod,
By the side of stringless beans
Yet he lights a tobaccoless cigarette
And laughs a mirthless laugh
While her father tries to call her back
By wireless telegraph.

Sunday School Convention.

The thirty-fourth annual convention of the Columbia County Sabbath School Association will be held today and tomorrow, June 18th and 19th, in the Baptist church at Berwick. An interesting program has been arranged. The members from Bloomsburg are the Pastors of the churches and superintendents of the several schools, and the following delegates: Baptist, Mrs. H. G. Supplee; Methodist, Joseph Garrison, Mrs. E. M. Knorr; Presbyterian, Misses Josephine Pursel, Jean Andres.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Legal advertisements on page 7.

North Carolina's crop of apples is estimated at 7,000,000 bushels.

The state of Minnesota has passed a law to punish "mashers." A good thing.

Saturday afternoon's base ball game Berwick vs. Normal should attract a big crowd.

Thirteen is no longer a "hoodo", so say the fellows who won Saturday's base ball pools.

The diagram of seats for the commencement exercises at the Normal is now open at Bidleman's.

Warm weather and true love are an impossible combination with married people, so says a Chicago expert.

The annual picnic of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School will be held in Keiter's Grove, Rupert, on Thursday next.

Seven years in business is our reference. Gem Steam Laundry.

W. L. Ritter will have charge of and superintend the contemplated improvements to St. Matthew's Lutheran Church.

Mary, the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Berlin of Espy, died on Sunday. Death is attributed to cancer.

Francis Leiby lost a valuable cow on Saturday. The animal fell in a forty foot mine hole, near the Red mill and was killed.

Wall paper from 8c. per bolt to 40c. per bolt at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Boyd Cadman has a very complete machine shop on Third street near East, and is prepared to do all kinds of machine repairing.

The Royal Arcanum of town will go to Berwick on Sunday and with the Council of that town will attend the services in the M. E. Church.

Base balls, base ball gloves and mits and all ball paraphernalia at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

The cellar of the Episcopal church is being cemented under the organ chamber to keep out the moisture. T. M. Dawson & Sons are doing the work.

Jack Steventon will probably be back to the Normal next season. Prof. Sutlift has received a letter from him in which he expresses a desire to return.

All bicycle sundries at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

President Roosevelt, during his trip made 265 speeches. If there is anything in the theory that practice makes perfect he should now be a pretty fair orator.

We overheard a man remark the other day that "all the world's a stage". We agree with him and also that there are too many supes who endeavor to play leads.

Flag Day was not generally observed in town. A few flags were displayed, among them being those on the Court House, Exchange Hotel, and several residences.

Second hand bicycles, some good bargains at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

If rats trouble your poultry house, place small paper bags filled with cayenne pepper in the holes where they enter and cover lightly with dirt. The rats will disappear..

We have a nice line of wall paper and as cheap as the cheapest, at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

There was very little fishing done by local sports on Monday, notwithstanding that it was the first day of the bass season. The unfavorable weather was probably the cause of the inactivity.

Dr. A. K. Aldinger has received a proposition to play base ball with Williamsport after the Normal closes. He is also wanted to manage and play first base with the Binghamton, N. Y. club.

Tooley & Company the grocers have installed a handsome new and improved refrigerator in their store. These receptacles are indispensable in all up-to-date stores. Tooley & Co. are always abreast of the times.

Manuscript covers for typewriter and legal papers, in five colors, with name printed on, are for sale at the COLUMBIAN office. 4t.

We have discovered that praise is the most difficult of things to deal out satisfactorily. If you do not praise a man as liberally as he thinks he deserves, he hates you, and if you overpraise him he sets you down as a sharper or a fool.

William H. Housel, steward of the Normal School has been offered the stewardship of State College. He was over to State on Monday interviewing the officials concerning the position. He has not yet decided whether to accept or not.

The O. U. A. M. will hold its annual picnic at Edgewood Park, Shamokin, July 25th. J. H. Fahringer, Harry Savage, W. E. Rinker, Bruce Hartzell and Frank Everly have been named as a committee to make the arrangements.

The Benton post office is now a third class office, and the salary of the postmaster has raised to $1000 a year. In the future the postmaster will be appointed by the President. There has been a big increase in the business of the office of late.

The electric railway was well patronized Saturday night. The half past eight car, left here with nearly a hundred passengers on board. The cars were all crowded. A festival at Lime Ridge, and a dance at Shawnee Park, occasioned the heavy travel.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hagenbuch, of Center township celebrated their silver wedding anniversary on Saturday. Relatives and friends were present in large numbers, and the occasion was a most delightful one. Mr. and Mrs. Hagenbuch were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts.

Bicycles. New ones for $25.00 and they are worth looking at, at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Rev. Harman, who for some years past has been the pastor of the Lutheran Church at Espy, moved on Tuesday to his newly accepted field of labor in West Berwick. Rev. Harman's work in Espy was very successful and he was universally admired.

The funeral of Miss Maud Savits held Saturday afternoon was largely attended. There were many tokens of respect in the shape of flowers, including two beautiful designs from the Silk Mill, one from her Sunday school class and one from the Friendship Fire Company.

Children's Day was appropriately observed in several of the local churches on Sunday. The program in each instance was good, and the little folks acquitted themselves in a manner that showed careful training. Beautiful decorations contributed much to the attractiveness of the exercises.

In the prettiest and most exciting game of the season Normal downed Bucknell Saturday afternoon, by the score of 7–6. The game was won in the last inning after one man had been retired by a drive to the outgarden by centre fielder Williams. Umpire Sherwood's work was very unsatisfactory.

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PURELY PERSONAL

Mr. Elmer Moyer is the guest of relatives at Baltimore, Md.

Albert Kelly of Hazleton spent a few days with his parents in town this week.

Mrs. John Brooks is visiting at Lewisburg and taking lessons on the pipe organ.

Miss Rose Gidding of Wilkes-Barre was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gidding the past week.

John Hughes of Cambra, was in town on Tuesday. He conducts a job printing office in that village.

Mrs. Andrew Cramer, of Fairview, N. J is spending several weeks with friends in Bloomsburg and vicinity.

Dr. Welsh is a member of the State Board of Examiners at the Slippery Rock Normal School this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Ash, of near Stillwater were entertained on Saturday night and part of Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Gruver.

Dr. Samuel Hess, of Freeland, was in town on Saturday. He is now visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Hess, in Orange township.

Moyer Lewis, now filling a position at LeWistown and playing base ball with the Burnham Athletic Association, spent Sunday with his parents in town.

Mr. Daniel Brooks and wife, and Mr. Louis Walker and wife drove up from Danville, on Sunday, and spent the day as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rush Cook.

Mr and Mrs. A W. Duy and son Albert went to Atlantic City on Monday morning, where Mrs. Duy and Albert will remain for a time in the hope of benefitting the latter, who has not been well of late. Mr. Duy has returned home.

Miss Lillian Buckalew, Louis Buckalew, J. C. Brown, H. V. White, W. Clark Richard, Lewis Moyer and Reginald Hemingway were among those of our townspeople who attended the Commencement exercises at State College, this week.

C. W. McKelvy went to Philadelphia on Friday and returned on Monday, bringing with him his little daughter Margaret who had been in the city a couple of weeks with her mother. The latter has been with her mother, Mrs. A. Z. Schoch, who is ill at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Misses Mary and Martha Clark returned home on Monday afternoon, after an absence of several months in Europe. They landed first on their outward journey, at Naples, and visited Rome, Venice and many points of interest in Italy, Switzerland, France and England. They report a very pleasant voyage on the return trip, and reached home in excellent health. They were warmly welcomed by their many friends.

The Rescue Fire Company of the Fourth Ward, are making preparations for their annual festival to be held July 19th and 20th. On the 19th they will burn the mortgages on their hose house. Speeches will be made by prominent men and the Band will be present. No contributions will be solicited this year.

No cracked collars at the Gem Steam Laundry. Try us.

Sale of Real Estate in Orangeville, Pa., at public auction on the premises on Tuesday the 23d day of June, at 10 o'clock, A. M. Property formerly known as the Kline property, 72 feet front by 132 feet deep, improved with 2 story brick store and dwelling, and 2 story frame dwelling.

If you want wall paper or window curtains go to Mercer's Drug and Book store.

Mrs. Mintie Wilson was called to Philadelphia last Saturday by the illness of her daughter, Nellie, who has been in that city for some time studying for a trained nurse. Miss Edna was visiting in the city at the time, when her sister Nellie, had an attack of appendicitis and was obliged to undergo an operation.

Geo. P. Ringler has added an improved ice shaver to his soda water department. The fame of Ringler's soda water counter has assumed profitable proportions. He has also added a number of new varieties of flavors to his large list of thirst assuagers. Ringler is a leader in the soda water line.

FOR SALE. A fresh cow for sale by T. C. Kocher, Fowlersville, Pa. 3t.

Thirteen members of Theta Castle K. G. E. went to Catawissa Tuesday evening where they united with the Castle of that town in extending a welcome to Grand Chief and Vice Grand Chief of Pennsylvania Benton W. Patterson and Fred Auton. C. E. Randall, C. E. Kreischer and C. E. Geyer made brief addresses.

Blank books and all stationery at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

The attempt to make the use of trading stamps illegal has been defeated and now people will be more desirous than ever to get them. A great many of our merchants give trading stamps with every purchase, and they believe that their use has materially increased business. Not a few homes in town have one or more pieces of furniture or other household articles procured through the saving of these stamps.

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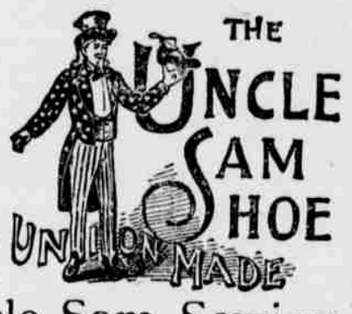

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To whom it may concern:

Several notices have been sent requesting payment of bills for burial lot or for other expenses, due the Rosemont Cemetery Company, to which little or no attention has been paid.

If the several amounts due are not paid by or before the 20th of August now next, they will be put in process of collection. The Managers hope there will not be any necessity for such action; but that all persons having relatives or friends buried in said grounds, will sufficiently respect them, to pay for the place of their rest.

By order of the Managers.

JOHN G. FREEZE,
President.

3t.

BUILDING LOTS

At Public Auction, on easy terms. The undersigned will offer a few building lots situate in their new addition in Bloomsburg, at public sale on Saturday, May 23, at 1:30 p. m. sharp. Terms $25.00 down, balance in monthly payments of $5.00.

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CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Notable Events of the Week Briefly Chronicled.

Efforts to break the strike of the textile workers in Philadelphia have failed.

The Chicago hotel strike is broken, and many striking waiters ask to be taken back.

Bishop McCloskey has forbidden dancing and intoxicants at picnics of Catholics in the Louisville diocese.

An elevator fell five floors in West Houston street, New York, and a woman passenger may die from injuries.

President Roosevelt, speaking at the University of Virginia commencement, raised its record and the state's public men.

George Eaton of Corning, N. Y., has denied the attempt to bribe Assistant Secretary Taylor of the United States treasury.

Father John of Cronstadt has apologized to the Christians of Kishineff for his condemnation of the massacre and says the Jews were to blame.

The executive committee of the Western Federation of Miners has condemned President Roosevelt for sending federal troops to Morenci, Ariz.

Tuesday, June 16.

Supreme Court Justice John F. Parkhurst was stricken with apoplexy at Bath, N. Y.

A runaway train struck a crowd at Tacoma, Wash., killing two and fatally injuring a third.

Hugh McEwan, the missing New York National City bank clerk, was arrested in Newburg, N. Y.

Four aeronauts were carried out to sea in a balloon near Marseilles and picked up by a steamer near Toulon.

El Paso, Tex.; Albuquerque, N. M., and other towns along the Rio Grande are in danger of floods from that river.

Mrs. Mary H. Deering, accused of killing her husband by shooting at their home in Brewer, Me., has died from cancer.

The dowager empress at Peking received Rear Admiral Evans, commander in chief of the United States Asiatic fleet, and his staff.

The Washington visit of the Prussian finance minister was reported to be an effort to remove trade friction with the United States.

The state department has been informed that the American fleet will be entertained at Kiel, Germany, from the 23d to the 30th of June.

Premier Balfour has stated in the house of commons that the future diplomatic relations of Great Britain with Servia are under consideration.

The river continues to rise at El Paso, Tex., and the water is striking the levee with great force. Workmen are fortifying weak spots with sand bags.

Jewish representatives have interviewed the president and Secretary Hay as to Kishineff and asked them to influence the czar in aid of their race.

George Francis Train, who has been isolated at the pesthouse, Stamford, Conn., suffering from an attack of smallpox, positively refuses to eat or drink.

A. J. Cassatt and other officers of the North Jersey Street Railway company have pleaded not guilty to the charge of manslaughter growing out of the accident to school children.

For the first time in three months building operations are now in progress at Omaha, Neb., in consequence of the collapse of the strike which has been waged by the Building Trades union.

George E. Eaton, cashier of the Van Denning bank, has been arrested on a charge of attempted bribery of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Taylor in the matter of the purchase of a post office site in Corning, N. Y.

Charles F. McFarlane, superintendent of Captain Goddard's Antipolicy society, was shot and killed in the corridors of the criminal court building, New York, by William Spencer, or Rogers, a negro policy dealer.

Monday, June 15.

Signor Zanardelli, the Italian premier, has announced the resignation of his ministry.

Mr. Charles Frohman of New York has definitely decided to establish a theater in Paris.

An Athenian banquet with the guests in classic costumes has been one of the novelties of the Paris season.

W. J. Travis beat F. H. Hoyt in the final for the chief cup at the Knollwood golf tournament by 11 up and 10 to play.

Visitors to the beach at Asbury Park, N. J., witnessed a waterspout out at sea. The spout formed about two miles south of the city.

James Houlihan and his team of horses were instantly killed by a milk train at the Van Woert street crossing of the New York Central at Albany, N. Y.

George Cook, a plasterer, was shot and instantly killed by Frank Dilling, a section employee on the Pennsylvania railroad, in the Emerson House bar at Cresline, O.

The twentieth triennial saengerfest of the Northeastern Saengerbund of America has been opened at Baltimore with a "reception concert" in the Fifth Armory hall.

A monument to negro slaves and their descendants in recognition of valuable domestic and patriotic services before and during the Revolutionary war, the first of its kind to be erected in the United States, has been dedicated at Barrington, R. I.

Saturday, June 13.

Twelve bodies of flood victims were recovered at Clifton, Ariz., and thirty-one are believed dead.

Employees of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, numbering 3,500, all connected with the Philadelphia terminal division, have asked for a reduction of the working day from twelve to eight hours.

The discipline at West Point academy is excellent, and hazing has almost entirely disappeared.

Lewis Nixon has resigned the presidency of the United States Shipbuilding company (the shipyards trust).

A Pennsylvania railroad express train killed three men who were working on the tracks near Philadelphia.

President Roosevelt will arrive at Oyster Bay, N. Y., on June 27 to open his summer vacation at Sagamore Hill.

The Richmond project for a Jefferson Davis memorial arch has been abandoned. A monument of another form will be erected.

George Duyer, a well to do farmer, was wantonly murdered by masked men near Alton, Ind., after he had given up his money.

J. Pierpont Morgan, Bishop Lawrence and Professor Newcomb were among the Americans presented at King Edward's levee.

Mr. Cocianchich, a Brooklyn wine merchant, says he holds papers to prove his title to the throne of Servia, but he prefers to be an American.

Robert Neill, a passenger on the White Star liner Germanic, was robbed of $20,000 at sea and was accused of trying to smuggle goods when he landed.

Parks, the New York walking delegate, was arrested on new charges and is alleged to have flashed a "roll" and to have said strikes were settled on a cash basis.

United States Consul Heenan, at Odessa, Russia, reports that Quarekin B. Chitjian, an American citizen, was killed in that city by a number of Turks, who have been captured.

Friday, June 12.

Guillermo, a noted Philippine brigand, has been captured.

A Northport (N. Y.) man shot his wife, thinking her a chicken thief.

Snow fell on Wednesday in all parts of Colorado except the San Luis valley.

The Bessemer (Ala.) Savings bank is closed, having been robbed of $280,000 by its president, J. T. Cornwell, who is a fugitive.

Trouble is feared in Chile over the coming election, and a British war ship has been ordered to Valparaiso from Victoria, B. C.

It is thought in British official circles that in the event of further complications in Servia an Austro-Hungarian army would march into that country to restore order.

The total loss, at a conservative estimate, of the fire which has occurred at Rochester, N. Y., aggregated $412,900. Of this amount the loss to the brick Presbyterian church was $150,000.

Robert Cattlett, a wealthy citizen of Sevier county, Tenn., has been sentenced to hang July 31. He was convicted of complicity in the murder of William and Laura Whaley, who were White Capped.

East St. Louis, which has for a week been thrown into a turmoil, is rapidly regaining normal conditions in the business districts not under water, although it will be weeks before the effect of the flood is offset.

Two more deaths from lockjaw are reported at Pittsburg, making ten deaths since Memorial day. The victims were boys ranging in age from ten to fourteen years, and the wounds were all caused by toy pistols.

The troops at Belgrade, Servia, revolted under the leadership of Major Angikovics, surrounded the palace and shot King Alexander, Queen Draga, General Zingar Markovitch, premier; General L. Petrovitch, minister of war; Lieutenant Colonel M. Naumovitch, king's aid de camp, and an officer and twelve soldiers of the king's guard.

Thursday, June 11.

Trinidad, Colo., is threatened by flood from Las Animas river.

Bandits held up a stage near Redding, Cal., and got over $400.

One was killed and at least twelve hurt in a trolley car wreck near Elizabeth, N. J.

Winfield Taft, deputy sheriff of Fulton, N. Y., and a companion were killed by lightning.

The Cambridge cricketers have won the match with the Philadelphia team by six wickets.

Crown Prince Gustave of Sweden and Norway will visit the St. Louis exposition.

The village of Enidge, Bulgaria, consisting of 500 houses, was attacked by Bashibazouks and the entire population massacred.

Five thousand artisans at the St. Louis exposition have demanded a wage increase of $1 a day from Sept. 1 under threat of a strike.

A wife who had directed a firm of liquor dealers not to sell drink to her husband was awarded $800 by Judge Stearns at Chelsea, Mass.

The Mercedes Motor Car works at Cannstadt, Wurttemberg was burned and some machines built to compete for the Bennett cup destroyed.

News reached Bisbee, Ariz., late at night of a cloudburst near Clifton. A wall of water eight feet high rushed down Chase creek without warning. Several bodies have been recovered. The number of drowned will reach twenty.

Miss Ruth Hanna, the daughter of Senator Marcus A. Hanna, was married in St. Paul's church, Cleveland, O., to Joseph Medill McCormick of Chicago, the son of Robert S. McCormick, ambassador to Russia. President Roosevelt and Miss Roosevelt were among the guests.

Almost two-thirds of the territory of East St. Louis is under from two to fifteen feet of water. Between sunset and dawn eleven lives were sacrificed to the waters, and damage which no man attempted to estimate has been done to property. Ten thousand persons have been driven from their homes.

COMPOSITE PICTURE.

Faces of Twenty Men of Importance in One Illustration.

Average Age Is Nearly Sixty, But the Composite Is in Its Prime, So Far as Active Effort Is Concerned.

The American whose portrait is shown herewith is 20 men. But each one of the 20 is to-day in his prime, working with unimpaired vigor and with superbly developed faculties at the problems of civilization which still remain unsolved. Taken collectively, they represent the typical American, to whose marvelous ability the glory of the epoch is due.

Their counterfeit presentments have been grouped in a composite picture, says the Kansas City Star, to show, as well as facial expression may, the personal traits that make the typical American what he is.

Three of the group are three of the richest men on earth, not by inheritance or by the use of despotic power, such as has been used by monarchs of all time to wring tribute from unwilling subjects, but by sheer business ability. Two of them rank among the highest governors of earth, a president and an ex-president of the United States.

One of them won a great naval battle.

One is head of the concern which does the largest dry goods business of any one concern in the world.

One is ranked as a sculptor and one as an artist in oils, whose work is not for the generation, but for all time.

One is a recognized leader of the transportation business of the country, the president of the Great Northern system.

One is the engineer who built the highest viaduct on earth—in Veragua,

TWENTY MEN IN ONE.
(Composite Picture Showing Face of Typical Man of Success.)

Peru—the great arch bridge at Niagara, and who is now building the second East river suspension bridge.

One is the architect of many of the most stately edifices in the country.

One is a soldier who is nominally at least commander of the American army.

One is the man who harnesses the most subtle force of nature, electricity, and makes it perform wonders at his will, obedient as a trained animal.

One is a leader among the surgeons of the world.

One is chief justice of the court that ranks perhaps highest of any on earth—the supreme court of the United States.

One is speaker of the house and one president of the senate at Washington.

One is a leading prelate of the Roman Catholic church, and another of the Protestant Episcopal church in America.

The oldest of the 20 is W. P. Frye, who was born in 1831; the youngest is Theodore Roosevelt, born in 1858.

The age of the composite man, computed by average, is 58 7-20 years. In other words, he has been busy for just about a quarter of a century since acquiring his preliminary training. So it may be said that he has done what he has in 25 years.

Of his personal appearance the composite photograph is the best evidence, but some individualities are worthy of mention.

Only two of the 20 are clean shaven. The fashion of a quarter of a century ago is still good enough for them, and 12 of them wear the mustache only, as was then the prevailing mode. Five wear full beards and one only, the ecclesiastical, side whiskers. A surprising fact, considering the age of the composite man, is that he is not bothered with baldness. The picture combines the features of President Roosevelt, D. B. Henderson, Chief Justice Fuller, Archbishop Farley, Admiral Dewey, John D. Rockefeller, J. J. Hill, Thomas A. Edison, John S. Sargent, Dr. Charles McBurney, Grover Cleveland, Senator Frye, Bishop Potter, Gen. Miles, J. P. Morgan, Andrew Carnegie, John Claflin, Charles F. McKim, Augustus St. Gaudens and L. L. Buck.

Good Lesson for a Boy.

In New York city, Justice Mayer recently gave a good lesson to an eight-year-old street urchin, who was arraigned before him for the crime of throwing stones. The boy admitted the charge, and said he thought it was fun to see the horses jump when he hit them. The justice ordered the lad to be taken into the court yard so that a big boy might throw stones at him. The little fellow broke down and cried. "The stones will hurt me," he said. This gave the justice the desired chance to draw the obvious moral, and, exacting a promise that no more stones be thrown, he discharged the boy.

YALE'S HALE STATUE.

Mr. Partridge Has Worked Six Years Upon a Noble Figure for the College Green.

Away up on the top of the United Charities building, says the New York Press, ten stories in the air, William Ordway Partridge has in his studio the complete statue of Nathan Hale, a figure that is in some respects one of the most distinguished works created by an American sculptor. In so far as the sculptor's actual labor is concerned it represents six years' toil, but he had begun to think of the statue some time before the year 1897 (when it was actually begun) at the suggestion of several of the alumni of Yale, who were

HALE STATUE FOR YALE.
(Designed and Executed by William Ordway Partridge.)

desirous of presenting to their alma mater a statue of the patriot, himself a graduate of that university, of the class of 1778.

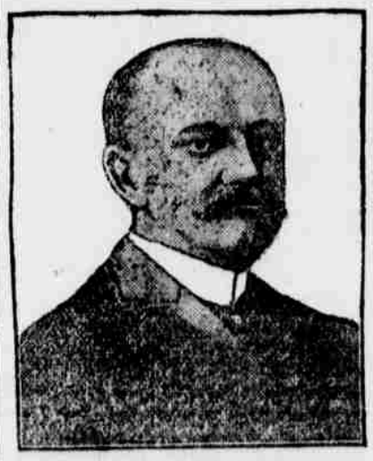
The statue, which is of heroic size, represents the young patriot on his way to the scaffold. His head is held high and in his eyes is the expression of a man who is oblivious to the jeers of the mob gathered to witness the execution of a spy.

In his original sketch of the statue Mr. Partridge had his figure standing at the foot of the scaffold. That it was changed to its present state—that of a forward motion, suggesting action without fatiguing the eye—is due to a beautiful thought of Phillips Brooks. He was looking at the first sketch in the sculptor's studio one day when he said that "a man does not remain all his life at a university, but passes on to something higher and more worthy of his powers," and so the suggestion of motion in the figure typifies that thought as well as the story of the patriot's heroism. Since no portrait of Hale exists, Mr. Partridge built up his ideal of the face in a manner that is an evidence of the thoroughness with which he works. Acting on the principle that men of one epoch bear a general resemblance to one another, he studied the colonial type faithfully, and used in connection with this type the mask of a Yale student who was much after Hale's manner of thought and purpose in life. The statue is of bronze and will be mounted on a pedestal three feet six inches high. The cost will be about $20,000.

FIGHTING FOR HONESTY.

Robert J. Wynne, Who Is the Central Figure in the Post Office Department Inquiry.

Robert J. Wynne, who started the postal fraud inquiry and who has become the central figure in the bitter warfare now being waged against the



ROBERT J. WYNNE.
(First Assistant Postmaster General of the United States.)

alleged corruptionists in the post office department, is first assistant postmaster general, and was confirmed in that position by the senate on April 16 of last year. Mr. Wynne is a veteran newspaper man and is especially known as a Washington correspondent. He is a New Yorker, 50 years old and was formerly private secretary to Charles Foster, secretary of the treasury. In 1892 he returned to journalism and was thus engaged until appointed to his present place.

The Wild Animal Market.

A dealer in wild animals in Hamburg collected and sold last year 75 lions, tigers and panthers, 42 bears, 52 elephants, 64 camels and dromedaries, 730 monkeys and a large number of smaller animals and birds.

Paper Windows in Japan.

In Japan thin, transparent paper is used instead of glass in windows—not that glass is not as plentiful and cheap as in this country, but that the Japanese desire the paper to filter the air they breathe.

RURAL DELIVERY ROUTES

Will no Longer be Held up—Cost to be Charged Against Next Year's Appropiation.

The temporary suspension of the establishment of rural free delivery routes owing to the discovery of a deficit in the appropriation for the present fiscal year will come to an end this week. This is by the President's orders a ter consultation with Postmaster General Payne. The appropriation for this year was $7,529,000, to which Congress added $500,000 for a deficiency created during the early part of the year. On the first of May, according to statements furnished by Postmaster General Payne a few days later, the appropriation was exhausted and a deficit of upward of $20,000 had been made.

The establishment of further rural routes was stopped in order that there might be no large deficiency to take to Congress. The Postmaster General said he was determined to make the service businesslike and keep within bounds. He even tried to wipe out deficiency of $20,000. A few days later it was found that the deficiency was really $121,000.

In view of these conditions, it has been expected there would be no more new work done in the line of establishing routes until the beginning of the next fiscal year.

An appeal to the President was made from the business men of Chicago and other Western cities that the order be revoked, notwithstanding that the appropriation was exhausted, and that the new routes be charged up to next year's business The matter has been under consideration for several days, and it has now been decided not to postpone until July the establishment of the many routes that have been passed on by inspectors and now ready to be put in operation. The whole number is somewhere in the neighborhood of 2500, covering the work of the rural free delivery division for the past two months and a half. It is not likely that the whole number will be set in operation before July 1, but beginning Monday they will be ordered at a livelier pace than usual during times of ordinary dispatch of business. The first batch of routes recommended for installation was sent to Fourth Assistant Bristow from the Rural Free Delivery Division Saturday, and were acted on the first of the week.

LOW RATE TOUR TO DENVER.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Christian Endeavor Convention.

For the benefit of delegates and others desiring to attend the Twenty-first International Biennial Convention of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, to be held at Denver, Col., July 9 to 13, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will run a personally-conducted tour to Denver and return, leaving Philadelphia, Lancaster, Harrisburg, Tuesday, July 7, going via Chicago and arriving Denver Thursday, July 9. Returning, the tour will leave Denver Thursday, July 16, arriving Philadelphia, Saturday, July 18. Special trains of the highest grade of Pullman equipment will be run on a fast schedule. Each train will be in charge of a tourist agent, chaperon, and special uniform baggage master. Round-trip rate, covering transportation to Denver, Colorado Springs, or Pueblo and return, Pullman berth, and all necessary meals in dining car to and from Denver, will be as follows: Harrisburg, $67.25, two in one berth, $57.25 each; Round-trip rate, covering all necessary expenses on going trip and railroad transportation only returning, on regular trains until August 31, will be as follows: Harrisburg, $54.25, two in one berth, $49.25 each; Proportionate rates from other points. Pullman accommodations and meals are included only while tourists are using special trains. Special side trips from Denver at reduced rates. For reservations of space, tickets, and full information, apply to nearest Pennsylvania Railroad Ticket Agent, or direct to Geo. W. Boyd, General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, Pa. 2t.

The Man Who Butts In.

Unfortunately the rebuffs which he receives do not in the least discourage him. He escapes the fool killer with a facility which almost justifies the belief that he is under the protection of a special providence. He continues to "butt in" everywhere, giving unsought advice, administeriug impertinent reproof, obtruding his opinions and wishes where they are not wanted, making a nuisance of himself from early dawn to dewy eve. Still he "butts in" and will continue to "butt in" until the end of time, for God hath made him so.

Starting Right.

In every great race much depends upun the start. "Getting away" with the whole system tingling with confidence in the strength to win is half the battle. In the race of life the start each day is at the breakfast table. A dish of "*It*", the new cereal, served with milk, invigorates the body and refreshes the brain. "*It*" makes the start right. "*It*" is cooked and ready to eat Young and old like "*It*". You can eat "*It*" at any time. At grocers everywhere. 2-12 1y

FARM LABORERS ARE WELL PAID.

State Figures Show That Pennsylvania Help is Best Rewarded of Any State.

Farm wages in Pennsylyania as shown by the crop report issued by the Agricultural Department are away and above those paid in any other State in the Union. The wages of farm laborers in the Summer time runs from eighty five cents up to $1.25 per day, with board included. By the day without board the men who earn their living by the sweat of their brow receive from $1.10 to $2 per day, a salary that is paid by few farmers in other States. Labor by the month when board is of course included is worth from $14 to $28, the amount ranging between the two figures in different counties. Delaware, Elk and Erie counties pay the largest wages for farm labor, as statistics fo the Agricultural Department show.

Female help with board per week runs from $1.25 to $3. This kind of labor is little sought after though by the extensive farmers. Statistics show that farm land is worth from $10 to $70 per acre in different counties of the State. In Potter county the average price for the land is $10 per acre, the lowest average of any of the counties. Chester county's land is worth on an average of $70 per acre, the highest price of any of the land in the State. In Dauphin county land is sold on an average of $40 per acre, and farm labor is worth $145 a year including board or $1 a day without board.

The aggregate wages of the farm laborer, taking the whole country, is about $9 per month with his board. In the South for instance, where many negroes are employed on the farms, the highest paid man only receives about six or seven dollars a month. Negro women work for twenty-five cents a day and in some instances receive only twenty cents. In commenting on the number of the colored race that are gradually drifting North of their own accord or being sent here by employment agencies, a Southern paper says that wages are higher in Pennsylvania, but the laborer has to do double the work. "For intance," says the paper, "where a Northern family of wealth employ two servants to attend to the duties around the house, a Southern family of equal means would have four. The four, however, might not be paid an amount in excess of what the two are paid in the North. Pennsylvania pays better wages for her help, but she expects more work for the salary," concludes the paper.

An employment agency in Richmond, Va., has within the past year sent to the North, and Pennsylvania got the most of them, in the neighborhood of one thousand colored women. Over five hundred colored men have also found employment in this section of the country. Many remain here and become good citizens, but the majority drift back to the Southern States, purchase a little farm and settle down to life of ease.

GETTYSBURG.

Fortieth Anniversary of the Great Battle.

Forty years ago the citizens of Pennsylvania were anxiously waiting to see what fortune the chances of war would allot them. At that time everything looked bad for the Union forces, but the events of the next few days, culminating in the Historic Battle of Gettysburg, virtually declared "The Union one and indivisible."

It is claimed by many historians that this battle fought July 1st, 2d and 3d, 1863, was the critical, decisive engagement of the contest, and the "high water mark," showing the extreme point reached by Pickett's Virginians in their famous charge, is in reality the high water mark in the tide of the rebellion. Thereafter it was all ebb tide with the Southern cause.

To accommodate visitors during the Anniversary days, the Philadelphia & Reading Railway has arranged to sell Excursion Tickets from all ticket offices in Pennsylvania at rate of single fare for the round trip. Tickets for sale and good going June 30th to July 3d inclusive and good to return until July 6th inclusive.

For time of trains, rate of fare, etc., consult any P. & R. Ticket Agent.

A Ghastly Swindle.

A number of exchanges give warning of a ghastly swindle now being worked in this State. Soon after the death of a person, a small package, addressed to the deceased, is received by the relatives of the family. The package is shipped C. O. D., and the charges are from $2.50 up. Sometimes the package bears a printed slip upon which it is stated that the contents are a gold ring. In most cases members of the decedent's family think he had ordered the ring just before his death, and pay the charges. When examined by a jeweler the ring is pronounced to be of the class sold at retail for fifty cents a dozen.

THE GRANGE

Conducted by J. W. DARROW,
Press Correspondent New York State Grange

THE SCHOOL AND GRANGE.

Teachers In Rural School Districts Should Join the Grange.

A large proportion of the rural school teachers are boys and girls who have been raised on the farm. The interests of the farmer and his family, with whom they still associate, are still their interests, and each may be helpful to the other when associated in the grange.

There should be closer relationship between school and grange. A teacher in a rural district should, if there is such an organization as the grange in

GEORGE W. P. GAUNT.
[Worthy Master of the New Jersey state grange.]

the community, become a member and make the interests of the farmer his interests and in every way possible help to make such organization inspiring and a success. If there is no such organization, a little effort on his part might make it possible to organize one in his community. If the meetings can be made interesting, educational and sociable and there is plenty of enthusiasm among the members, there is little doubt about the older members of the school joining the grange. In fact, they seem to look forward to the time when they will be old enough and eligible to membership.

The grange furnishes an excellent opportunity for the teacher to form the acquaintance of the parents, and the closer the teacher comes in touch with parents the better he will understand his pupils. Then if there are any school matters that the teacher wishes to discuss with the parents or the parents with the teacher the grange meeting furnishes an opportunity.

The above sentiments are those of a school teacher communicated to the Michigan Farmer and are worthy of the consideration of every rural teacher who may read these lines.

ADVANTAGE IN ASSOCIATION

The Grange Helps Farmers to Keep Out of the Ruts.

The grange should be a great help to the man or woman who is trying to extend his or her horizon, and it is just such people who leave their impress upon the world. The people who do not strive to broaden themselves get into a rut. The world has little use for these who stop growing, no matter what their age may be. It is the fuller life, the broader experience, the deeper culture, which enrich civilization, and these we get in our association together. Every occupation is crowded with men who have stopped growing, and agriculture is no exception—men who have got into ruts and cannot get out. Such men do not benefit the world much and are not missed when they retire from active life. It is the men who learn the secret of wise living, men who are broader than the bread and butter question, that the world wants, and the grange is striving to make more such men.

The Grange In Maine.

Mr. O. Gardner, master of the Maine state grange, says that at the close of 1902 there were 318 subordinate granges in Maine, of which 178 own their halls, while nineteen more were building halls. The value of the 178 halls with their furnishings is put at $373,330, an average of more than $2,000 apiece; the value of the real estate owned by subordinate granges is $79,000, making a total value of $452,330 for subordinate grange property in Maine. The membership is 35,000, averaging 156 to each grange. Three Maine granges have more than 600 members each, while several have more than 500.

The grange teaches kindness to animals. The grange at Montville, Vt., practices it. That grange has built a commodious stable in connection with its hall improvements which accommodates thirty-two horses.

What the grange has been and has done are worthy of study and praise. But the past is only an earnest of a much worthier future. Our best history is yet to be made.—American Grange Bulletin.

Little Falls (N. Y.) grange recently initiated a class of about sixty candidates in the fourth degree. Seven Star grange of Troy, Vt., had a similar class a few weeks previous.

The next session of the Pennsylvania state grange will be held at Wilkesbarre.

WATER FOR THE BEES.

They Need It and the Wise Apiarist Will See That It Is Always Within Their Reach.

It seems a little out of season to talk about watering your bees, if, as in a good many localities, they are snugly housed in the cellar at the present moment. However, it is well to anticipate their wants. Indeed, there may not be any anticipation in the case where the bees are wintered out of doors. Just as soon as there comes a day warm enough for them to fly, one of the first things they will do is to start in search of water, says a writer in the Bee Journal.

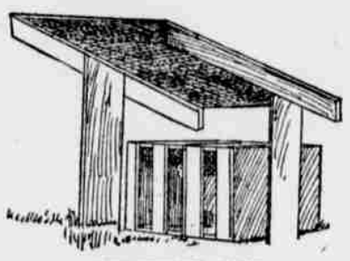
Bees are hard drinkers, and it is a matter of some importance that they have easy access to plenty of pure water without being obliged to fly some distance to secure it. Especially is this true in teh early spring, when cold winds and sudden changes in temperature work such havoc with our bees. Water they must have, and if they do not have it supplied near home they must seek it elsewhere. More bees are lost in spring by flying some distance, becoming chilled, and never getting back to their hive, than some bee-keepers are aware of. We don't want anything that will induce them to take long flights, much less anything that will oblige them to. Bees are largely creatures of habit, and when once they have established a drinking place it is not so easy to change them from it. And one of their favorite selections is the watering tank, causing much annoyance to stock, and to the people taking care of our stock as well. It is also a great nuisance to have them around the well or cistern pump. Especially is this the case if there are small children in the family.

All this bother may be avoided if we select their drinking place for them, and get them started in the right place before they have learned to go anywhere else. This is not difficult to do. A large jar filled with water, with a number of pieces of wood put into it, for the bees to alight upon (if they are somewhat rotten all the better), is all that is needed to make a good watering place. If this jar is kept supplied with water, after the bees once get started there will be no more trouble about their bothering you anywhere else. It is a good plan to put a little salt into it once in awhile. Then it will not be a breeding place for mosquitoes, and the bees seem to like it better when it is a little salty.—Bee Journal.

SHELTER FOR CHICKENS.

Make a Cover for the Coop and Afford the Bird Protection Against Sun and Rain.

Here is an easily-made protection for the chicken coop against both sun and rain. Drive into the ground two bits of board, and nail a cross strip



A SHELTERED COOP.

to the top of each. Across the top stretch a piece of tarred paper, or red resin-sized building paper, and tack it as shown. Make this cover large enough to protect the hen and chicks in case a sudden shower comes up.—Farm Journal.

POULTRY YARD POINTERS.

Barrels on their side are not ideal coops for young chicks.

Eggs cannot be produced without nitrogenous material in some shape.

Eggs from over-fat hens, if they hatch at all, are apt to produce weaklings.

Many a farmer would do better if he plowed less acres and raised more chickens.

Coops without bottoms moved daily make healthful places in which to raise young chicks.

To keep disease away from the fowls, keep everything perfectly clean where they are kept.

Feather pulling is often the result of confinement in idleness. Give the hens something to do.

Keep the outside doors and windows of the poultry house closed during a rain or snowstorm.

Playful dogs in the hen yard do not add to the comfort or peace of the hens. Keep the dogs out.

Hens with frozen combs will not produce eggs till the sores are healed—do not expect them to.

Bowel trouble that carries off many chicks when one or two weeks old may be often corrected by taking away their drinking water and giving scalded milk instead.—Commercial Poultry.

The Music of the Bee.

The honey bee is an excellent coworker on the farm, even if he is not absolutely necessary to the pollenizing of fruits. The bee can be denied many of the advantages it is claimed to possess and still be worth much more than the little labor required to care for it. The music alone of the busy hive compensates many for the trouble it costs, to say nothing of its garnered sweets, that make of good bread and butter a morsel fit for the gods.—Midland Farmer.

GRANGE NEWS.

By J. T. Ailman, Press Correspondent and Secretary Penn'a. State Grange.

Valley Grange, No 846, Warren Co., have re-papered and repainted their hall this spring.

New York has 22 grange fire insurance companies, carrying risks aggregating $58,738,632.00. Last year the cost averaged $2.20 per $1000.00.

A good laugh is better than medicine or advice for tired people. The Grange must help to make the labors of this life cheerful. It is an old lesson, but it needs constant repetition and frequent enforcement.

J. W. Darrow, Press Correspondent, of New York State Grange, says: "A good grange meeting is not only a pleasant and sociable occasion, but it is something that will promote intelligence and increase the knowledge of those who desire to gain information on all practical subjects which are of value to the agricultural classes."

Whatever farmers are doing as farmers should interest every farmer. That the farmers of our neighborhood are able to maintain an organization, hold successful meetings regularly, and make the social and educational conditions of the community better, do business in a business way and save money by co-operating should move other farmers to do likewise.

Worthy State Lecturer, A. M. Cornell, of Altus, Bradford Co., writes. "An unusual number of calls for lecture work for this season of the year denotes general activity in the order. He must decline many invitations on account of previous engagements. He adds, A very successful Pomona session held with Columbia Grange No. 83, Bradford Co., closed yesterday."

Donation Grange No. 330 Huntingdon Co. met in regular session April 25. There was a good attendance, the first and second degrees were conferred on a class of two. After the initiation the following programme was carried out.

Reading, Frank Whitzel and Verna Corelius, recitations, Emeline Wilson and May Sanks.

Instrumental music, A. C. Miller and John K. Wilson. Debate.

GEO. E. CORCETIUS, Sec.

A large number of grange picnics and rallies will be held in Penn'a. during the summer, especially in August and September. The services of Bro. A. E. Morse, of Maine, have been secured to attend these meetings during the month of August. Bro. Morse has a wide and enviable reputation as an elocutionist and an entertainer. His presence will add much to the pleasure of the meetings. He will be accompanied by one or more grange speakers.

The farmer by the nature of his occupation is isolated. Isolation rusts. Contact brightens. To meet the competition and the combinations of the present day. The farmer needs to have his wits sharpened. No one doubts that the successful farmer uses his brains as well as his hands. The Grange furnishes the opportunity for the farmers of a community to get together. Exchange of ideas, giving experiences and discussing subjects quicken thought. The plodding farmer does not belong to the Grange.

The work the grange is doing in the country is a work that needs to be done. It is a work the schools are not fitted to do; that the churches are not organized to perform; that institutes and farmer's clubs will never be able to accomplish. Let all other associations fulfill their proper functions, but do not let anyone make you believe for a moment that the Grange has not a great mission, the task of making country life nobler and more enjoyable and country people better citizens and better neighbors, richer in all that makes life worth living.

Lincoln Grange No. 914, Huntingdon Co., met in special session on March 31, for initiation when a class of four very desirable members presented themselves. The 1st and 2nd degrees were conferred. The grange then closed to meet in regular session on April 10.

Lincoln Grange No. 914 met in regular session at 7.30 p. m., April 10. The class of 7 presented themselves for the 3rd and 4th degrees. At the close of the 4th degree the sisters had a bountiful feast prepared which was very much enjoyed by all present. Almost all the members being present. Since we have moved into our new home it is a pleasure to confer degrees. We have several more applications on hand at present to be taken in the near future.

BOYS GET A BERKSHIRE HILL FARM.

The State Committee of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Massachusetts and Rhode Island have been presented with a two hundred acre farm in the Berkshire Hills near Holyoke and Dalton, to be used as a summer camping resort for the boys of the Associations of these states. The farm is situated at a high point in the Berkshire Hills and has a frontage of three quarters of a mile on Rush Pond, 1,500 feet above sea level. It will be made a vacation resort for boys between the ages of twelve and twenty. The several parties will be limited to 100 at a time, and will be in charge of the physical directors, secretaries and boys' leaders of the Associations. This society has evolved in the past twenty years a remarkable system to give the boys all the freedom they need to have a rattling good time and yet be under wholesome discipline and supervision, so that accidents and illness are almost unheard of in these camps. Expenses are reduced to a minimum, averaging between four and five dollars a week.

The same State Committee received two years ago the gift from Miss Frances Moody of an island on the coast of Maine. Here there is a fleet of thirty boats, a steam launch, a dining pavilion with large fireplace, baseball field, etc, capable of accommodating 150 boys at one time. These camps, together with the two or three hundred other Association camps in different parts of the country, accommodate between 5,000 and 7,000 boys each year. Several of the Canadian Associations own or control lakes and camp in log cabins. New York boys have their camp on Lake Champlain and New Jersey boys at Lake Wawayanda. The Philadelphia Association has a farm of 467 acres within twenty-two miles of the city. Cleveland had 500 boys last summer in its boys' reservation, an attractive old farm through which a river runs; besides taking a large party on a gypsy trip from Lake Erie to the Ohio River. At these camps every eight or ten boys are accompanied by a robust, companionable, Christian leader. Pennsylvania Railroad boys, of Philadelphia, raised $700 and had their own sail-boat built for their camp at Atlantic City. These camps are of inestimable value to the city boy, who can enjoy a vacation and be trained in camp and athletic life amid surroundings which make for manliness, self-reliance, courage and strength. Were the equipment and means available, the Association could easily operate camps accommodating 50,000 boys.

Two Babies Found Dead in a Coal Car.

The Crew of a Newberry Freight Train Made a Ghastly Discovery.

The crew of a Newberry freight on the Reading railroad tell of a ghastly find while their train was north bound near Locust Gap. While a brakeman was in the performance of his duties, he was astonished to discover the bodies of two babies lying in the corner of a coal car. They were wrapped in a piece of carpet, and the children were evidently twins. The train was stopped and the babies were buried in a nearby culm bank. When the matter was reported to Coroner Dreher of Shamokin that official hastened to the scene for the purpose of exhuming the bodies. It was discovered that one of the dead bodies had strangely disappeared. The other child was given a decent burial.

The authorities at Shamokin announced yesterday that the car in which the babies were found came from Tamaqua and it is believed that the bodies were thrown in it at some intervening point.

Reduced Rates to Asheville, N. C.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad. Meeting National Music Teachers's Association.

For the benefit of those desiring to attend the meeting of the National Music Teachers' Association, to be held at Asheville, N. C., June 30 to July 3, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets to Asheville from all stations on its lines, June 26 to 30, inclusive, good to return until July 10, inclusive, at reduced rates. By despositing tickets with Special Agent, at Asheville, not later than July 10 and payment of fee of fifty cents, an extension of final return limit may be obtained to reach original starting point not later than October 10.

Sites For Hatchery.

Fish Commissioner Wm. E. Meehan will begin examination of sites for a trout hatchery in Central Pennsylvania. Residents of several counties have offered ground and water rights without cost to the State. The hatchery is to be established under the law passed by the Legislature and Commissioner Meehan declares that a suitable site must contain springs with a flow of not less than 500 gallons a minute, and that land must be near a railroad station.

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These tickets are sold at $20 and are good for one thousand miles of travel on lines named above, subject to such local rules and regulations as may be in effect on such lines, for one year from date for whoever presents them for passage—whether the original purchaser, or members of his or her family, or their friends, or any person or persons.

They can be purchased at all ticket offices of the P. & R. System, or will be sent by mail on receipt of price by Edson J. Weeks, general passenger agent. Reading Terminal, Philadelphia.

Do You Realize

a constant war is carried on between your stomach and your taste? What pleases one may not suit the other. The question is what to eat. "*It*", the cereal that tastes good, forever sets at peace the jarring, human factions. "*It*" is a grain product with all health giving nutriment retained. "*It*" builds up the body; adds to the strength; keeps the brain active and clear. "*It*" is cooked and ready to eat with milk or cream. Grocers sell "*It*". 2-12 1y

SCIRE FACIAS SUR MECHANIC'S LIEN.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, No. 3, September Term, 1902.
S. C. Creasy, doing business in the firm name of Creasy & Wells,
vs.
Gail C. Shultz, owner and Gail C. Shultz, Contractor.
To Gail C. Shultz, owner and Contractor.

You are hereby notified that a writ of Scire Facias has been issued on the Mechanics' Lien or materials furnished by plaintiff to you; filed on May 4th, 1903, in the above entitled case; which said lien covers the following described premises: All that certain lot of ground situate in the Borough of West Berwick, County of Columbia, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to wit. Beginning at a point on Fairview Avenue at the corner of lot No. 184; thence along said lot south two degree fifty minutes east one hundred and sixty feet to Dewey Alley; thence along said alley south eighty-seven degrees ten minutes west forty-five feet to corner of lot No. 182; thence along said lot north two degrees fifty minutes west one hundred and sixty feet to Fairview Avenue; thence along said avenue north eighty seven degrees ten minutes east forty-five feet to the place of beginning; containing seven thousand two-hundred square feet. It being lot No. 183 in D. A. Michael's addition to the Borough of West Berwick, and whereon is erected a two story frame dwelling house twenty by thirty feet, with an L six by fifteen feet, and plaintiff claims therein the sum of $494.31, and the lien dates from Oct. 13th, 1902. You are also notified that judgment may be entered against you, and the property described in said lien sold, if an affidavit of defense be not filed by you within fifteen days after June 25th, 1903. DANIEL KNORR, Sheriff.
GRANT HERRING, Atty.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Elizabeth D. Phillips, late of Bloomsburg, Pa., deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Elizabeth D. Phillips, late of the town of Bloomsburg, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to
J. M. CLARK, Atty. J. L. DILLON, Administrator.
5-14 6t.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Ann Ivey, late of Hemlock township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Mrs. Ann Ivey, late of Hemlock township, Columbia County Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to William Tilley, resident of said township, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to WILLIAM TILLEY, Executor.
6-4 6t

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

N. U. FUNK,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Mrs. Est's Building, Court House Alley.
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

A. L. FRITZ,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office—Bloomsburg Nat'l Bank Bldg., 2d floor
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

J. H. MAIZE,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE AGENT,
Office, in Lockard's Building,
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

JOHN G. FREEZE. JOHN G. HARMAN
FREEZE & HARMAN,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW
BLOOMSBURG, PA.
Office on Centre Street, first door below Opera House.

A. N. YOST,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
Wirt Building, Court House qu
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

H. A. McKILLIP.
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
Columbian Building, 2nd Floor.
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

RALPH R. JOHN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Hartman Building, Market Square.
Bloomsburg, Pa.

IKELER & IKELER,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
Office back of Farmers' National Bank.
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

CLYDE CHAS. YETTER,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
BLOOMSBURG, PA
Office in Wirt's Building,

W. H. RHAWN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Office, Corner of Third and Main Sts
CATAWISSA, PA.

CLINTON HERRING,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
Office with Grant Herring.
BLOOMSBURG, PA.
Will be in Orangeville Wednesday o each week.

WILLIAM C JOHNSTON,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
Office in Wells' Building over B. A. Gidding's Clothing Store, Bloomsburg, P.
Will be in Millville on Tuesdays.

H. MONTGOMERY SMITH,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Office:—Wirt building, over Alexander Bros. 11-16-99

EDWARD. FLYNN,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
CENTRALIA, PA.
Office Liddicot building, Locust avenue

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Westchester, N.Y.	300,000	1,753,307	426,70
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Oct. 31, 1901. tf

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No. 121 West Main Street,
Large and convenient sample rooms, bath rooms, hot and cold water, and modern conveniences. Bar stocked with best wine and liquors. First-class livery attached.

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(Opposite the Court House)
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Large and convenient sample rooms, bath rooms, hot and cold water, and all modern conveniences.

THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1903.

THE STATE AT A GLANCE.

—The War Department has announced its apportionment of the $2,000,000 appropriated by the Dick bill for the better equipment of the National Guard of the different States. Pennsylvania gets $67,973.

—The Scranton *Republican* figures out that the people of Scranton drink 18,500 quarts of milk a day, costing $1,100, and 43,680 quarts of beer a day, costing $4,368.

—A notable nuptial event took place in Trinity Episcopal church, Williamsport, Thursday, when William O. Hickok, of Harrisburg, and Miss Avis Cochran, daughter of Senator J. Henry Cochran, were married. The preparations for the wedding were on a very elaborate scale.

—George W. Coolbaugh, editor and proprietor of the Telegram, a real estate journal of Wilkes-Barre, dropped dead late Monday afternoon in the office of the county controller. The deceased was fifty years of age. Death was due to apoplexy.

—Williamsport is to have a new industry called the Hopkins Hulled Cereal company. In addition to hulling and preparing corn and cereals for the trade, tomatoes, pumpkins and other vegetables will be canned and Saratoga chips will be made.

—The Girard estate is constructing a wall around the reservoir and timber preserves on North Mahonoy Mountain. The wall will be two miles long, five feet high and be made of stone laid dry. This plan, it is believed will preserve the young timber from forest fires and cattle depredations and the timber preserved will insure a better water supply for the collieries.

—The report of coal being found on the Smith farm at Selinsgrove are proving to be correct. A vein of eight feet has been reached and the coal burns well. An expert who has looked over the property says that he is confident first class coal could be found by going deeper. The veins will be proved thoroughly and a breaker near Selinsgrove is among the possibilities.

—The big meat packing houses set out to corner the egg market and loaded up with eggs last spring at about an average cost to them of fourteen cents. Interest and storage charges ran the price up to about seventeen cents, and they are now unloading at ten cents. The old hen is a hard proposition to corner. Everybody keeps her. The cold storage egg belongs in the same class with renovated butter. Old eggs are harder to pass off as fresh ones than old maids as young girls.

—Acts passed by the last Legislature relating to the education of the children in Pennsylvania have all been compiled and pamphlet has made its appearance in the departments. There are twenty acts which affect the education laws of the State and are of vital interest to the trustees and teachers of schools. Representative Snyder's bill regulating the salary of school teachers, and making the minimum salary paid to any teacher by any district receiving State aid $35 per month, is on the eighth page of the pamphlet, and while it is one of the shortest acts passed it is nevertheless the most important to the teachers and the State in general. Upon the failure of any district to pay its teachers the sum of $35 a month, the appropriation from the State shall be withdrawn for the length of time the act is violated.

The bill met with a strong opposition in both branches of the Legislature, but it finally passed, and was signed by the Governor on April 9, less than ten days after it left the halls of the Legislature The other nineteen bills all bear directly upon the schools of the State.

Dr. S. S. Pond, Professor of chemistry in the Pennsylvania State College, made several assays of ore from the mines of the Alta Idaho Gold and Copper Mining Company, of Pardee, Idaho. This ore was dug out of these mines by Charles M. Harder, of Catawissa, during his visit to that place a short time ago. The result of the assays of the ore which he brought home with him is as follows: Copper 57.87 per cent, 25.02 per cent, 5.52 per cent, 5.9 per cent. The assays show values in silver as high as $18.00 a ton, and some gold values. Other assays have been made of ore from these mines which show gold values of $43.00 and $54.00 per ton.

The Democratic State Convention will be held at Harrisburg on Sept. 2nd.

DECISION OF COURT.

In Case of W. C. Richart vs William Krum.

Application Dismissed.

The preliminary injunction which was granted by the court upon petition of the plaintiff in the case of W. C. Richart vs William Krum was dissolved by Judge Little on Monday. The case is one of more than ordinary interest, and for that reason, though we presented all the facts in the case when it was before the court at the May term when the preliminary injunction was granted, we herewith again give a history of the case.

It appears that at the time of the construction of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad through Montour township, about fifty years ago, Joseph Mauser, now dead, was the owner of two tracts of land adjoining said railroad. One tract contained fifty acres and the other sixty five acres. On the fifty acre tract there was a lime kiln, and in order to provide Mr. Mauser with shipping facilities for the product of the kiln, the railroad company constructed a switch or siding. Mr. Mauser then opened a lane or driveway from the public road in to the railroad. Upon the death of Mr. Mauser, his son, David Mauser, became the owner of the fifty acre tract and Isaiah Hagenbuch purchased the other tract.

From the time of the construction of the switch and opening of the roadway, dating back in 1855, everybody looked upon the lane as a public highway, and used it as such when going to and from the switch. In the early part of the present year Isaiah Hagenbuch leased the lane to W. C. Richart and he shortly thereafter, secured a temporary injunction restraining William Krum, who persisted in using the lane after having been notified to desist. In dissolving the injunction the court says:

"Clark Richart, the complainant, did not acquire by the lease of Isaiah Hagenbuch made April 1, 1903, the sole and exclusive use to the private road or lane therein described. The preliminary injunction heretofore granted should be dissolved. Now June 15, 1903, after hearing and upon consideration, it is ordered and decreed that the preliminary injunction heretofore granted be and the same is hereby dissolved".

FROM COURT HOUSE CORRIDORS.

Its too much trouble to come all the way to Bloomsburg for a marriage license, or at least that's what a Numedia man thinks. He has written to Prothonotary Terwilliger requesting him to send him a license by mail. The request, of course, was refused, licenses are not granted in that manner.

The following licenses have been issued.

John R. White of Centralia and Miss Laura M. Campbell of Reading.

Patrick Shields of Conyngham township and Miss Anna Heacle of Centralia.

Raymond G. Pensyl and Miss Alice Smith both of Bloomsburg.

James Gaugher and Miss Margaret Cadagan both of Conyngham township.

B. Frank Mather and Miss Eliza Laubach both of Benton.

William R. Sitler and Miss Gertrude Philips both of Berwick.

C. Perry Larish of Benton Boro. and Miss Fanny May Summer of Hemlock township.

J. W. Mowry of Rupp and Miss Rose Schuyler of Pensyl.

Wm. Park Moore of West Hemlock and Miss Trella Crossley of Buckhorn.

Albert Reigel of Berwick and Miss Minnie Leiby of Roaringcreek.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

C. W. Runyan and wife to Chas. E. Giger, land in Bloom.

D. A. Michael and wife to Creasy & Wells, land in West Berwick.

Clark M. Kile Est., to Leonard Kile et, al. land in Sugarloaf.

Rebecca Meeker et. ux. to Alice E. Kile, land in Sugarloaf.

John Groh et. ux. to Thomas W. Hartman, land in Espy.

Thomas W. Hartman to Maria Shuman, land in Espy.

Geo. E. Sponsler to Sarah Bloom, land in West Berwick.

Frank Dean of Centralia, is the latest to be placed under Sheriff Knorr's care. He was "cooped" on a charge of assault and battery. Constable Cain brought him over Tuesday.

When the congregation of St. Matthew's Lutheran Church get their new pipe organ, it will stand back of the pulpit in a recess which is to be built for the purpose. They have had a number of excellent offers from reliable organ builders, but have not yet decided where to place the order.

THE CHORAL SOCIETY.

At a meeting of the Bloomsburg Choral Society held in the Parish House last Thursday evening about twenty members were present. The following officers were elected:

President, Dr. J. P. Welsh; Vice President, Geo. E. Elwell; Secretary, E. H. Ent; Treasurer, W. B. Sutliff; Librarian, Dr. P. F. Peck.

All the committees were re-appointed and are as follows: Membership, Miss Comba chairman, Miss Cope and R. F. Colley; Program, Mrs. J. K. Miller chairman, Miss Pontius, Mrs. R. F. Colley, Mrs. W. B Sutliff and Mrs. F. G. Yorks; Associate Members, O. H. Yetter, he to have power to appoint other members. The Executive Committee is composed of the chairmen of these committees and the officers of the society.

It was decided to give two concerts during the coming year, and it is likely that Dr. Mason of Wilkes-Barre will be engaged as conductor. There will be no active work until September. and it is hoped that many new members will be obtained by that time. Associate members are those who are not active, but who are willing to pay two dollars a year, for which they will receive tickets to all concerts, and may attend rehearsals if they so desire. A large number of associate members is desired.

The next meeting will be held at the call of the President, when due notice will be given through the newspapers.

Give us a call and be convinced that we are the best. Gem Steam Laundry.

A standing press for binding books and making tablets has just been added to the equipment of this office.

The third floor of the Wirt building is being made ready for the Central Penna. Telephone Co. The entire floor will be used for an exchange.

Cigars. The Sweet Jaras are the finest in Bloomsburg for a 5c. smoke, try them, at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

The woman who committed suicide in Gettysburg last Friday is supposed to be the same one who visited Bloomsburg a few weeks ago, and represented herself as a trained nurse, and begged money from clergymen. She was evidently insane. She first made an attempt to end her life by taking laudanum, but under a doctor's care she recovered. The next morning she cut her throat with a knife. She effectually concealed her identity.

Residents of town will, from Monday night next, on, know in the evening what kind of weather to expect the following day. The big whistle on the Richard Manufacturing plant will be used for that purpose, and at 6:15 every evening the weather probabilities will be sounded. Following is the code of signals:

BLAST	INDICATES
1 Long	Fair Weather
2 Long	Rain or Snow
3 Long	Local Rains
4 Long	Showers followed by Fair
1 Short	Lower Temperature
2 Short	Higher Temperature
3 Short	Cold Wave
1 Long, 3 Short	Fair, Cold Wave

We want a boy in every town to work for us after school hours and on Saturdays.

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Among neighbors and relatives. He can begin at once. Absolutely no money required to start. Write us to-day and we will send the first week's supply of ten copies free. These are sold at 5 cents each, and will provide capital to order the next week's supply at wholesale rates.

$225 in Extra Cash Prizes Next Month

Booklet containing photographs of some of our most successful boy agents, with letters telling how they work, sent free.

The Curtis Publishing Company
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Liver Pills

That's what you need; something to cure your biliousness. You need Ayer's Pills.

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Use

Buckingham's Dye

50 cts. of druggists or R. P. Hall & Co., Nashua, N. H.

OPEN TO-DAY.

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Bloomsburg and other people interested in the town, to donate each a particular book which would be of real value to the Library. As a result of this scheme the Library received to be spent for books $850 in cash and checks, and about 1500 vols., most of which are valuable books. Owing to the generosity of the recipients of the book-reception circulars, the Library will open with about 4000 vols.

Since January 12 the Library Department has received through private and club donations, concerts, rummage sales, rubber sales, etc., over $720. This fact has made it possible for the Department to pay all bills for Library supplies, rent, printing, salaries, etc., which have been presented and to turn the Library over to the Board of Directors with practically no indebtedness and with a small surplus in the treasury.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION.

The library has been classified and catalogued according to the most generally approved methods of library science. The Dewey Decimal Classification has been used. This scheme was devised by Melvil Dewey of the New York State Library and is used in almost all of the up-to date libraries of America.

A card catalog has been made, arranged in three alphabetical lists: Author, title and subject. If the borrower wishes to know what books the library contains, of a particular author—say F. Marion Crawford, he will go to the author list, run over the cards which are alphabetically arranged until he comes to Crawford, where he will find all the books arranged alphabetically according to the title (the articles "the" "a" and "an" are always omitted and the entry made under the word following the article.)

Another borrower may come in knowing the name of the book he is interested in, but not the author. He should consult the title list where he will find the author, and thus be able to secure the book number of the volume wanted. Another borrower may wish to know what lives of Lincoln are on the shelves, or what books the Library contains on chemistry, U. S. History, etc., he will consult the subject list, also an alphabetical one, and in a moment ascertain just what the Library has to offer along the line of his needs. Instead of arranging the cards in three separate lists, very often they are filed in one straight alphabet, running author, title and subject entries together. For people not accustomed to using a card catalog, the filing of author, title and subject cards separately rather simplifies learning to use the catalog intelligently.

In order to enable borrowers most quickly to learn where the different classes of books are to be found, labels will be placed on the different shelves containing the words: Fiction, History, Travel, Biography, New Books, Science, Juvenile Books, etc. as the case may be, thus enabling all interested to get a general idea of the number and quality of the books in each class.

Borrowers will be allowed to go to the shelves to pick their own books or the librarians will hunt up any books to be loaned which will be carried to the Librarian' sdesk where they will be charged to the borrower.

The rules of the Library in regard to books will be found in every vol., on the book pocket, where the borrower's card is placed.

Names of donors will be found in the front of each book, on the book plate.

Owing to the fact that some of the books ordered are out of print, not all of the book-reception list has been received at the library. New selections will be made in place of those not procurable, and when the exact amount of the discount is ascertained it will be spent or reference books.

The Library will be open for the circulation of books June 19th, the day after the formal opening.

All those who have registered prior to June 18th can draw books at once, and all others, as fast as the formality of registering is gone through.

Box papers from 10c. to 50c. at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Hartman's

Weekly Store News.

Something to tie to.

A man came to us recently with something that we knew every woman would be interested in, but he compelled us to take such a large supply in order to go way down to so small a price, but the price and the ribbon induced us to take the lot.

Now Listen.

Colors, white, cream, old rose, pink, light blue, nile, heliotrope, primrose, green, scarlet, cardinal, brown, navy, black. 100 pieces 3½ in. wide, yard 19 cents. 4½ in. wide, yard 25 cents.

Big city prices for the equal are 29 and 39 cents.

Not Before this Season.

Two dollars and fifty cents in one hand and five dollars in the other; then again there's four intermediate prices, all of which show equal savings in proportion.

Women's suits, sizes 32 to 38, black, navy and grey mixed cloths, not old styles but newest of this season, and the best,

$25 suits reduced to $20
$22 suits reduced to $18
$20 suits reduced to $10
17.50 suits reduced to 13.50
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12.00 suits reduced to 10.00

The surest way to get one of these suits, as only one, two and three of a kind remain, is for you to come before the size you need and the style you like has been sold.

R. E. Hartman,
SUCCESSOR TO
I. W. HARTMAN & SON
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Ribs Fractured in Runaway.

There was an exciting runaway at Oak Grove at noon on Tuesday, and as a result of it Millard Ent, son of Chas. B. Ent, had two ribs fractured, and Reese M. Dawson was painfully bruised. Ex-Sheriff Hoffman and William Long were also in the wagon, but they escaped without injury. Hoffman was thrown out, but landed on his feet. Long jumped from the wagon when the horse started to run. The accident occurred toward the lower end of the grove, they having taken a short cut home, and was caused by the animal taking fright at the noise made by a cultivator falling against the front wheel of the wagon. The horse ran to the Hoffman barn, along the Espy road.

Dr. John was summoned, and rendered medical assistance.

Festival.

The Rescue Hose Co. will hold a festival June 19-20th, at their hose house on East Fifth St. On Friday evening the 19 there will be speakers, and the mortgage on their building which they have recently paid will be burned. The Bloomsburg Band will give a concert each evening. Proceeds to pay for steam-heat, water and sewer recently placed in the building. Ice-cream, cake and all other refreshments will be served. Come all and help us out.

The Lord's Supper.

The Lord's Supper will be celebrated in the U. Ev. Church, on East 4th St., next Sunday at 10:30 o'clock a. m. Rev. U. F. Swengel P. E., will preach on the occasion. On Saturday, at 7:30 p. m. the quarterly conference will be held in the classroom of the church. Come and hear Rev. Swengel uent Sunday.

J. SHAMBACH, Pastor.

Ferris Wheel Sold for Junk.

The Ferris Wheel, which was one of the wonders of the Columbian Exposition, and which cost $392.000, was sold at auction at Chicago last week to a junk dealer for $1800. The sale included engines, buildings, boilers and all.

The old Presbyterian church property has at last fallen in hands that will no longer permit it to be a discredit to the town. Yesterday two men spent the day in cutting the grass and undergrowth, and cleaning up the entire lot, and it now presents a better appearance than it has had for years. We hope the time is not far distant when Mr. Yorks, the recent purchaser, will put up a residence there.

WANTED—SEVERAL INDUSTRIOUS PERsons in each state to travel for house established eleven years and with a large capital, to call upon merchants and agents for successful and profitable line. Permanent engagement. Weekly cash salary of $18 and all traveling expenses and hotel bills advanced in cash each week. Experience not essential. Mention reference and enclose self-addressed envelope. THE NATIONAL, 334 Dearborn St., Chicago. 5-7 16t 8-20

REPORT OF THE CONDITION —OF THE— Bloomsburg Nat'l Bank

at Bloomsburg, Pa. at the close of business June 9th, 1903.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$215,177 41
Overdrafts secured and unsecured		92 38
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		60,000 00
Stocks, Securities, &c		129,196 78
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		8,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		11,005 93
Due from approved reserve agents		17,928 11
Checks and other cash items		491 40
Notes of other National Banks		492 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cts.		75 72
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ: Specie	$ 8,562 50	
Legal Tender Notes	12,550 00	21,112 50
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		3,000 00
Total		$466,541 11

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 60,000 00
Surplus fund		20,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		26,835 94
National Bank Notes outstanding		60,000 00
Due to other National Banks		5,799 14
Individual deposits, subject to check	$293,500 64	
Certified checks	10 68	
Cashier's checks outstanding	894 73	294,406 05
Total		$466,541 11

State of Pennsylvania, County of Columbia } ss:

I, WM. H. HIDLAY, Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief

WM. H. HIDLAY, CASHIER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of June, 1903. C. W. MCKELVY, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
PAUL E. WIRT,
J. LEE HARMAN,
W. M. LONGENBERGER,
} Directors.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office June 30, 1903. Persons calling for these letters, will please say that they were advertised June 18, 1903",

J. J. Brown, Miss Marie Wellington, Louis Gross, Wm. Yount

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

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If you do buy your shoes here.

Every shoe made for comfort and service.

Woman's Oxfords
1.50, 2.00, 2.50, and 3.00

Woman's Shoes
1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, and 3.50

W. L. Douglas
3.00, 3.50 and 4.00

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.